

His Exc^{ty} demanded a List of the Counsellors Names according to the Kings Instructions & their present Qualifications which was delivered him

The Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament to be taken instead of the Oaths of Allegiance & Supremacy together with the Oath of Commander in Chief were administered to his Exc^{ty} according to Form which having taken he was pleased to administer the said Oaths & The Oath of a Counsellor to Sr Thomas Lawrence, Coll^o Nea Blakiston, Coll^o Nich Greenberry, Coll^o Charles Hutchins, Coll^o David Browne, Tho Tench Esq, Capt John Addison & Thomas Brooke Esq^r. John Lewellin sworne Clerk of the Council & hath also administered to him the aforesaid Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament

His Excellency was pleased by Advice of the Council to Order that upon his Accession to the Government proclamation should issue for the continuing of all Officers & Ministers Civil & Military within this Province in their respective Stations Offices & places till further orders & require them accordingly to execute & perform their duties therein

Adjourned till to Morrow morning 9 Clock
September the 26th 1693 Council again met & sat

Present

His Excellency Sr Edmund Andros

Sr Thomas Lawrence	} Thomas Tench Esq ^r }		
Coll ^o Nehemiah Blakiston		} Capt John Addison }	
Coll ^o Nicholas Greenberry			} Thomas Brooke Esq ^r }
Coll ^o Charles Hutchins			

The Proclamation for continuing of all Officers &c was signed by his Excellency this day in Council & Ordered to pass the great Seal & be delivered forthwith to the Sheriff of Sr Marys County to publish according to usual forme the same follows in these words

By his Exc^{ty} a Proclamation