

Monday December 5th, 1785.

House met and
Members Chosen.
And appearing,
take the Oaths.

On which Day being the first Day of the Meeting of this present Assembly, a Committee of the Council attending, the following Members who appeared, took the usual Oaths prescribed by Law, and subscribed the usual Declaration in their Presence, viz.

COUNTY OF HALIFAX. { SAMPSON SALTER BLOWERS,
RICHARD JOHN UNIACKE,
JOHN GEORGE PYKE,
MICHAEL WALLACE, } Esqrs.

COUNTY OF LUNNENBURG { D. CHRISTOPHER JESSEN,
JOHN WILLIAM SCHWARTZ, } Esqrs.

COUNTY OF ANNAPOLIS. { THOMAS BARKLEY, Esqr;

KING'S COUNTY. { JONATHAN CRANE,
ELISHA LAWRENCE, } Esqrs.

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND { JOHN BUTLER DIGHT, Esqr;

QUEEN'S COUNTY. SIMEON PERKINS, Esqr;

COUNTY OF HANTS. { BENJAMIN DEWOLF,
WINKWORT TONGE, } Esqrs.

TOWN OF HALIFAX. { JOHN FILLIS, Esqr;
Mr. WILLIAM CCCHRAN,
Town of Truro. Mr. MATTHEW ARCHIBALD,
Town of Londonderry. Mr. JAMES SMITH,
Town of Granville. BENJAMIN JAMES, Esqr;
Town of Horton. GORDEN DENNISON, Esqr;
Town of Windsor. Mr. JOHN M'MONAGLE,
Town of New-port. Mr. JOHN DAY,
Town of Falmouth. JEREMIAH NORTHUP, Esqr;
Town of Liverpool. Mr. EPHRAIM DEAN,
Town of Yarmouth. Mr. SAM. SHELDON POOLE.

His Excellency
desires a Speaker to
be chosen.

A Message was delivered from His Excellency the Governor, by the Honourable *Richard Bulkeley* Secretary of the Province, desiring the House to proceed to the Choice of a Speaker. And the House having proceeded thereon, *Sampson Salter Blowers*, Esqr; His Majesty's Attorney General was unanimously chosen, and conducted to, and placed in the Chair accordingly.

Speaker Chosen.

Message from the
Governor to require
the Attendance of
the House.

A Message was delivered from His Excellency the Governor by the Honourable *Richard Bulkeley* Secretary of the Province, desiring the Attendance of the House at the Government House.

Mr. Speaker elect
with the Members
wait on his Excel-
lency.

Mr. Speaker elect, with the other Members present, went accordingly, and having presented their Speaker, His Excellency was pleased