

qualified to vote then it's our opinion that the s^d Jn^o Lecompt is Duely returned to serve as a dellegate in this present Gen-^{Original} Journal. erall Assembly.

But if it shall be the Judgem^t of this hon^{ble} house that the Sherriff have noe right to vote and that the s^d Morris Bryce is duely qualified to give his vote then its our opinion the s^d Sherriff hath made undue returne of Jn^o Lecompt but in this we submitt.

The usuall method of drawing the Indentures returned for Dorchester County viz^t

Between Iacob Lookerman high Sher: of the County of Dorchester on the one parte and Maj^r Jacob Lockerman Burg^{ss} and freeman of the County afd. on the other parte, which is likewise the forme of the other three Indentures is humbly oferd by us to the Consideration of the honble house.

Tho^s Greenfeild Chairⁿ
Phill: Loyd
Hugh Eccleston
Elisha Hall
Sam^{ll} Sicklemore

After some debate in the house concerning the matter referred to their Consideracōn it is resolved that M^r Jn^o Lecompt is duely ret^d a Burgess for Dorchester County.

Signed p ord^r of the Com^{ee}
Jn^o Dorsey Clk: Com^{ee}

Putt to the Question whether the Sherriff have any vote upon Election of Dellegates or not.

Resolved by Majority of voices that the Sherrif have not any vote on Election.

The house adjournes till Monday morning 7 a Clock

Munday May 12th 1701

The house mett and were called over wanting Maj^r Walter Smith, Coll^o Ennalls apeared in the house and ord^d that Maj^r Smith and Coll^o Thompson attend him to be sworne before his Ex^{cy} and Councill

Who returne and say they have seene him sworne,

Ordered that the publick Treasu^{re} and Navall officers appeare on thursday morning and bring with them their acc^{ts} &c.

Ordered that the Serjeant attendant give notice to the officers afs^d then to appear for that purpose

M^r W^m Harris M^r Jn^o Salter, M^r Phillip Lynes M^r Jn^o Dorsey M^r Jn^o Wight appointed a Com^{ee} to enquire into the agreivances of the province are sent out.