

Thomas Johnson Esquire having declined to accept the appointment of
Governor of this State, The General Assembly proceeded to the choice of a Governor
in his room when John Eager Howard Esquire was elected.
The Council adjourned till tomorrow morning.

Saturday 22nd November 1788.

The Council met

Present the Honorable James Brice }
John Davidson } Esquires
John Kilty }

The Council adjourned till Monday morning

Monday 24th November 1788.

The honorable John Davidson and
John Kilty Esquires attended

Tuesday 25th November 1788

The Honorable John Davidson and
John Kilty Esquires attended

Wednesday 26th November 1788.

The Honorable John Davidson and
John Kilty Esquires attended

Thursday 27th November 1788.

The Council met

Present the Honorable James Brice }
John Davidson } Esquires
John Kilty }

His Excellency John Eager Howard Esquire elected
Governor, attended in the Senate room and qualified in presence of the Members of the
Senate and House of Delegates agreeably to the Constitution and form of Government & Laws of this State
The Council adjourned till tomorrow morning