

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, OCTOBER, 1777. 3

W E D N E S D A Y, November 5, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

T H U R S D A Y, November 6, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. George Plater, Esq; appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The memorial of Frances Campbell was read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by George Plater, Esq;

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

F R I D A Y, November 7, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. Charles Carroll, barrister, and Thomas Stone, Esqrs. appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Messrs. A. Hall and Magruder, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a resolve for the nomination of certain officers of militia in Prince-George's and Harford counties; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Messrs. Forbes and M-Pherson, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a resolve for the recommendation of certain officers of militia in Charles county; which was read and assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq;

The case and memorial of Charles Wallace was read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by Charles Carroll, Esq; barrister.

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, November 8, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Messrs. Holland and Williams, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a resolve, relative to the furnishing of stockings; which was read, and, with amendments, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by Thomas Stone, Esq;

The resolve of the house of delegates, delivered on yesterday by Messrs. A. Hall and Magruder, was read the second time, and the following message was sent to the house of delegates by Samuel Wilson, Esq;

By the S E N A T E, November 8, 1777.

Gentlemen,

WE concur with your resolve of yesterday, by Messrs. A. Hall and Magruder, so far as it relates to the recommendation of the militia officers for Harford county, to be commissioned by the governor; but we cannot consent to recommend a lieutenant for Prince-George's county, apprehending we have no such power, the constitution permitting a recommendation to office, only in the first instance, and as a lieutenant for Prince-George's county has already been recommended by the assembly, the appointment of that officer, we conceive, now lies with the governor and council.

By order,

A. C. HANSON, cl. sen.

William Hindman, Esq; has leave of absence.

The senate adjourns till Monday morning, 9 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, November 10, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on Saturday, except William Faca and William Hindman, Esqrs. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

Messrs. Veazey and Stevenson, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a resolve, respecting the proceedings of the convention of this state, on the thirtieth of October, seventeen hundred and seventy-six, relative to a claim, set up by the constitution or form of government of Virginia, injurious to the inhabitants of this state; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The petition of John Scott, clerk, was read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by Brice T. B. Worthington, Esq;

Messrs.