

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS.

T U E S D A Y, November 6, 1804.

**M**ONDAY, the fifth instant, being the day appointed by the constitution and form of government for the meeting of the general assembly of this state, several of the members of this house accordingly met on that day, but a sufficient number of members to proceed on business not appearing, the house adjourned until to-day, when the following members appeared, viz.

For SAINT-MARY's county.	Mr. Moses Brown,	Mr. Joab Waters,
Mr. Raphael Neale, junior,	Mr. George Harryman.	Mr. Joshua Cockey,
Mr. Wilfred Neale.	TALBOT county.	Mr. Thomas Hawkins.
KENT county.	Mr. William Meluy.	HARFORD county.
Mr. James Scott,	SOMERSET county.	Mr. John C. Bond,
Mr. John Moore,	Mr. George W. Jackson.	Mr. Thomas Ayres.
Mr. Richard Hatcheson.	DORCHESTER county.	CAROLINE county.
ANNE-ARUNDEL county.	Mr. Solomon Frazier.	Mr. Frederick Holbrook.
Mr. John F. Mercer,	CÆCIL county.	CITY of BALTIMORE.
Mr. William Hall, 3d.	Mr. Edward H. Veazey.	Mr. John Stephen,
Mr. Osborn S. Harwood.	PRINCE-GEORGE's county.	Mr. Andrew Ellicott, junior.
CALVERT county.	Mr. Alexander Contee.	WASHINGTON county.
Mr. Richard Mackall,	CITY of ANNAPOLIS.	Mr. John Bowles,
Mr. Richard Ireland, junior,	Mr. John Muir,	Mr. Tench Ringgold,
Mr. Benjamin H. Mackall.	Mr. Arthur Shaaff.	Mr. Benjamin Clagett.
CHARLES county.	QUEEN-ANNE's county.	MONTGOMERY county.
Mr. George D. Parnham,	Mr. Charles Frazier,	Mr. Elimeleck Swearingen,
Mr. Philip Stuart,	Mr. Philemon C. Blake,	Mr. John Linthicum,
Mr. Henry H. Chapman,	Mr. Stephen Lowrey.	Mr. William Darne, junior.
Mr. William H. M'Pherson.	WORCESTER county.	ALLEGANY county.
BALTIMORE county.	Mr. Robert J. H. Handy.	Mr. Benjamin Tomlinson,
Mr. Tobias E. Stansbury,	FREDERICK county.	Mr. John H. Bayard.
Mr. Alexis Lemmon,	Mr. Daniel Clarke,	

A sufficient number of delegates being convened, they severally qualified in the presence of each other, by taking the several oaths required by the constitution and form of government, by subscribing a declaration of their belief in the christian religion, and by taking, repeating and subscribing, the oath to support the constitution of the United States.

The house proceeded to ballot for a speaker, and the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, on examination thereof it appeared, that the honourable Charles Frazier was elected.

Mr. Edward Lloyd, a delegate returned for Talbot county, appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government, and taking the oath to support the constitution of the United States, took his seat in the house.

The house proceeded to ballot for a clerk; the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentlemen named to strike retired, and after sometime returned and reported, that Mr. John Bowie Duckett was elected. ORDERED, That he be qualified as such, by taking the several oaths required, by subscribing a declaration of his belief in the christian religion, and by taking an oath that he will honestly, faithfully and diligently, discharge the office of clerk to the house of delegates, and that he will not reveal or disclose the secrets thereof.

The house appointed Mr. John Golder assistant clerk. ORDERED, That he be qualified as such, by taking the several oaths required, by subscribing a declaration of his belief in the christian religion, and by taking an oath that he will honestly, faithfully and diligently, discharge the office of assistant clerk to the house of delegates, and that he will not reveal or disclose the secrets thereof.

The house appointed Mr. Cornelius Mills serjeant at arms, Mr. John Trueman door-keeper, and Mr. John Sands assistant door-keeper. ORDERED, That they be qualified.