

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

T U E S D A Y, November 5, 1805.

MONDAY, the fourth 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 to business not appearing, the house adjourned until to-day, when the following members appeared, viz.

For **SANCT-MARY'S** county.
Mr. John Leigh.

KENT county.
Mr. Cornelius Hurtt,
Mr. William Gale.

ANNE ARUNDEL county.
Mr. Richard Merriken,
Mr. John F. Mercer,
Mr. Joshua C. Higgins.

CHARLES county.
Mr. Philip Stuart,
Mr. George D. Parnham,
Mr. William H. M'Pherson,
Mr. Henry H. Chapman.

BALTIMORE county.
Mr. Amos Ogden,
Mr. Alexis Lemmon,
Mr. George Harryman.

TALBOT county.
Mr. Thomas S. Denny,
Mr. Edward Lloyd,
Mr. Solomon Dickinson.

SOMERSET county.
Mr. George W. Jackson,

Mr. James C. Hyland.

DORCHESTER county.
Mr. Solomon Frazier,
Mr. Joseph Ennalls,
Mr. George Ward,
Mr. John Smoot.

CÆCIL county.
Mr. John L. Porter.

PRINCE-GEORGE'S county.
Mr. Archibald Van-Horn,
Mr. Francis M. Hall,
Mr. Alexander Contee,
Mr. Henry A. Callis.

CITY OF ANNAPOLIS.
Mr. John Muir,
Mr. Arthur Shaaff.

QUEEN-ANNE'S county.
Mr. Joseph H. Nicholson, junior.

FREDERICK county.
Mr. Thomas Hawkins,
Mr. Joab Waters,
Mr. Henry Kuhn.

HARFORD county.
Mr. John Montgomery.

CAROLINE county.
Mr. Peregrine F. Bayard,
Mr. White Turpin,
Mr. Alembly Jump.

CITY OF BALTIMORE.
Mr. Andrew Ellicott, junior,
Mr. John Stephen.

WASHINGTON county.
Mr. John Bowles,
Mr. Robert Smith,
Mr. William Yates.

MONTGOMERY county.
Mr. William Carroll,
Mr. Brice Selby,
Mr. Richard Key Watts,
Mr. John Linthicum.

ALLEGANY county.
Mr. Benjamin Tomlinson,
Mr. George Rizer,
Mr. Thomas Cresap.

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 members present adjourn until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

W E D N E S D A Y, November 6, 1805.

THE same members met as on yesterday, who proceeded to ballot for a speaker, and the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, on examination thereof it appeared, that Archibald Van-Horn, Esquire, was elected.

Mr. Benjamin Hanson, a delegate returned for Kent county, Mr. Lloyd Dorsey, a delegate returned for Anne-Arundel county, Mr. William Gleaves, a delegate returned for Queen-Anne's county, Mr. Trench Ringgold, a delegate returned for Washington county, appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government, and taking an oath to support the constitution of the United States, took their seats in the house.

The house proceeded to ballot for a clerk; the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentleman named to strike retired and after sometime returned and reported, that Mr. John Brewer was elected. ORDERED, That he be qualified as such, by taking the several oaths required, by subscribing a declaration of his belief in