

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, OCTOBER 1777. 11

“ By the house of delegates, November 25, 1777: Read the second time and will pass,
 “ By order, G. DUVALL, cl. ho. del.”
 Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.
 On motion, ORDERED, That the bill, entitled, An act for the better security of the govern-
 ment, be read the second time on Tuesday next.
 The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

THURSDAY, November 27, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.
 Messrs. Alexander and Young, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the en-
 grossed bills, No. 5, and 6, with the paper bills thereof; which engrossed bills were thus sever-
 ally endorsed; “ By the house of delegates, November 27, 1777: Read and assented to:
 “ By order, G. DUVALL, cl. ho. del.”
 The said engrossed bills were read and assented to, and the paper bills were sent to the house
 of delegates by Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq;
 Messrs. Deye and Burgess, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the petition of
 John and Walter Hanson, and a resolve of the house of delegates thereupon; which were read,
 the resolve was assented to, and, with the petition, sent to the house of delegates by Thomas
 Stone, Esq;
 The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY, November 28, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. William Paca and Charles Grahame, Esqrs, have leave of absence.
 Messrs. Earle and Strawbridge, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the peti-
 tion of Jesse Gray, thus endorsed; “ By the house of delegates, November 28, 1777: Read and
 granted.
 “ By order, G. DUVALL, cl. ho. del.”
 Also a resolve of the house of delegates, to subject to the orders of the governor and the coun-
 cil certain sums of money therein mentioned.
 The said petition was read and granted, and sent to the house of delegates by Turbutt Wright,
 Esq; the said resolve was read and assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by Brice T. B.
 Worthington, Esq;
 Messrs. Plowden and L. Wilson, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a resolve
 relative to the supplying out quota of troops with arms, cloathing, and other necessaries; which
 was read and ordered to lie on the table.
 The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

SATURDAY, November 29, 1777.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except William Paca and
 Charles Grahame, Esqrs. The proceedings of yesterday were read.
 Messrs. Winder and Brice, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the message of
 this house of the 25th inst. by George Plater, Esq; thus endorsed; “ By the house of delegates,
 “ November 29, 1777: Read and concurred with,
 “ By order, G. DUVALL, cl. ho. del.”
 Messrs. Somervill and Hammond, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill,
 entitled, An act to ascertain and establish a divisional line between Anne-Arundel and Calvert
 counties, thus endorsed; “ By the house of delegates, November 27, 1777: Read the first time
 “ and ordered to lie on the table.
 “ By order, G. DUVALL, cl. ho. del.”
 “ By the house of delegates, November 29, 1777: Read the second time and will pass,
 “ By order, G. DUVALL, cl. ho. del.”
 Which was read the first and second time by an especial order, passed, and sent to the house
 of delegates by Thomas Stone, Esq;
 Messrs. Maxwell and Gresham, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the peti-
 tion of Robert Anderson, and a resolve of the house of delegates thereupon; which were read,
 the resolve was assented to, and, with the petition, sent to the house of delegates by William
 Hindman, Esq;
 The petition of John Veazey and Thomas B. Veazey, representative of John Veazey, de-
 ceased, was read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by George
 Plater, Esq; The