

SATURDAY, July 24, 1779.

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

Andrew Buchanan, Esq; elected one of the senators for this state, having declined acting in that capacity by letter, the senate proceeded to ballot, and Upton Sheredine, Esq; was elected.

His Excellency the Governor communicates to the president a petition from several French merchants in Baltimore-town, praying relief for sundry losses, which was read, and sent to the house of delegates by Richard Barnes, Esq;

The petition of Robert Reith, praying an augmentation of his salary as messenger to his Excellency and the honourable council, was read, referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by Matthew Tilghman, Esq;

Messieurs Thomas and H. Goldsborough, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act to revive and continue the late act of assembly to prevent distilling grain into spirit, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, July 23, 1779: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.
"By the house of delegates, July 24, 1779: Read the second time and will pass.

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Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, An act to revive and continue the late act of assembly to prevent distilling grain into spirit, was read a second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by Joseph Nicholson, Esq;

The petition of Thomas Rigby and Moses Rigby, of Talbot county, relative to a public road made through their lands, was read, referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by Robert Goldsborough, Esq;

The senate adjourns till 4 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The senate met.

Messieurs Thomas and Chew, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the following resolution:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, July 24, 1779.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to Jesse Bullock three hundred dollars, in part of his pay, subsistence and cloathing, and that the auditor-general state an account against the said Jesse Bullock, and send a copy thereof to the paymaster of the second Maryland regiment, in order that the like sum may be stopped in his hands and repaid to the treasurer of the western shore.

By order, J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

Which was read and assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll, Barrister, Esq;

The senate adjourns till Monday morning 8 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, July 26, 1779.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read. William Hindman, Esq; appeared in the senate.
The senate adjourns till 4 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The senate met.

The members of the senate who are delegates to congress, having acquainted the senate, that a request had been made them by order of the house of delegates, to attend in their house to give information of the business transacted in congress, desired leave of the senate to attend in consequence of the said request; whereupon leave was given to attend within the bar of the house of delegates, and they attended accordingly.

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 8 o'clock.

T U E S D A Y, July 27, 1779.

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

Messieurs