

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
SENATE  
OF THE  
STATE of MARYLAND.  
NOVEMBER SESSION, 1779.

Being the FIRST SESSION of this ASSEMBLY.

**A**T a SESSION of ASSEMBLY, begun and held at the city of Annapolis, on Monday the eighth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine, the following MEMBERS appeared in the SENATE.

The honourable DANIEL of ST. THOMAS JENIFER, Esq; President:

The honourable {  
MATTHEW TILGHMAN,  
CHARLES CARROLL, Barrister,  
CHARLES CARROLL of Carrollton,  
BRICE T. B. WORTHINGTON,  
RICHARD BARNES,  
JOSEPH SIM, and  
UPTON SHEREDINE,  
} Esquires.

A sufficient number of members to proceed to business being convened, they severally qualified in the presence of each other, by taking the oath agreeably to the directions of the form of government, before Allen Quynn, Esq; one of the justices of Anne-Arundel county.

Upton Sheredine, Esq; took the several oaths prescribed by the form of government, and subscribed a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion, before Allen Quynn, Esq;

ORDERED, That Upton Sheredine, Esq; wait upon his Excellency, and acquaint him that there is a sufficient number of members convened to proceed to business.

William Paca, Esq; appeared in the senate.

The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.

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

The senate met.

Upton Sheredine, Esq; returned, and acquaints Mr. President that he had waited upon his Excellency and delivered the message.

His Excellency the governor communicates to the president sundry letters and resolves of congress, which were read and ordered to lie on the table.

A letter from Samuel Wilson, Esq; was read, enclosing a resignation under hand and seal of his seat as a senator of the state of Maryland.

William Paca, Esq; took the oath of allegiance, agreeably to the directions of the form of government.

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Messieurs