

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER, 1779. II

“ house of delegates, November 25, 1779: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

“ By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

“ By the house of delegates, November 26, 1779: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

“ By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.”

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

The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.

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

The senate met, and adjourned till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, November 27, 1779.

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

William Hindman, Esq; qualified in the presence of the senate, by taking the several oaths directed by the constitution and form of government, before Allen Quynn, Esq; one of the justices of Anne-Arundel county.

His Excellency the governor communicates to the president several letters from the president of congress, enclosing acts of congress; also a letter from the minister plenipotentiary of France; and a letter from Henry Hollingsworth, Esq; deputy forage-master-general; which were severally read and sent to the house of delegates by Matthew Tilghman, Esq;

The senate adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, November 29, 1779.

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

The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.

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

The senate met.

His Excellency the governor communicates to the president a letter from the auditor-general of the United States, enclosing an account of the monies advanced to the state of Maryland; which were read and sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq;

Messieurs J. Hall and Henry, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 29, 1779.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

THE proper measures to be adopted to procure speedy and full supplies of flour and forage for the army of the United States; by what mode a quantity of cloathing, blankets, shoes, and other necessaries, can be obtained to furnish the troops from this state; and the recommendation of congress of the 19th instant, to the several states to enact laws for the establishing and carrying into execution a general limitation of prices; are subjects of so great moment, and require such speedy determination, that this house are induced to propose a conference on those subjects, and should you concur with us in sentiment, we have appointed Messieurs John Hall, John Henry, John Hanson, William Stevenson, Peregrine Lethbury, and Samuel Chase, to join such of your honours as you may judge proper to name for that purpose.

By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

T U E S D A Y, November 30, 1779.

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

The following message was sent to the house of delegates by Brice T. B. Worthington, Esq;

BY THE SENATE, NOVEMBER 30, 1779.

GENTLEMEN,

WE agree to the proposition contained in your message of yesterday by Messieurs J. Hall and Henry for a conference, and have appointed Matthew Tilghman, Charles Carroll of Carrollton, and