

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS
 OF THE
 SENATE
 OF THE
 STATE of MARYLAND.
 MARCH SESSION, 1780.

Being the SECOND SESSION of this ASSEMBLY.

HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR having, by his proclamation, convened the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of the STATE of MARYLAND to meet on the second day of March, one thousand seven hundred and eighty, the following members, in consequence thereof, appeared in the SENATE on the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and eighty.

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

The honourable	{	ROBERT GOLDSBOROUGH,	}	Esquires.
		CHARLES CARROLL of Carrollton,		
		BRICE T. B. WORTHINGTON,		
		WILLIAM HINDMAN,		
		WILLIAM PACA,		
		RICHARD BARNES, and WILLIAM HEMSLEY,		

Messieurs Cramphin and Isaac Henry, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, MARCH 28, 1780.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

THIS house have appointed from half past eight o'clock in the morning until one in the afternoon, and from half past two until six, for its sitting, during this session, for the dispatch of public business.

By order,

F. GREEN, clk.

A letter from Thomas Johnson, Esq; late governor of the state of Maryland, in answer to the address of the general assembly presented last session, and a resignation of his seat as delegate to congress, were read and sent to the house of delegates by Robert Goldsborough, Esq;

ORDERED, That the answer to the address be printed on the journal of the senate, which follows in these words:

GENTLEMEN,

I CANNOT flatter myself but that in appointing me to some of the important trusts with which my country has honoured me, she has over rated my abilities; they have been faithfully exerted to their extent with a view to her good, nor am I conscious of having preferred, in any instance, a particular to the general interest: and I hope whether I remain in the calm walk of
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