A petition from Samuel and Walter Hanson, of Charles county, praying that they might be permitted to pay into the treasury a sum lent by a resolve of the convention, for the erection of powder mill, was read, referred to the house of delegates, and, with the following message, feat by Marthew Tilghman, Elq;

BY THE SENATE, DECEMBER 2, 1780.

E-agree to ballot this afternoon for a register of wills in Queen-Anne's county, and have appointed William Hindman and Richard Barnes, Esquires, to join the gentlemen named by you'in examination of the ballot buxes. No gentlemen are named in addition to those nomi-. J. MACCUBBIN, clk. nated by your house.

By order, The senate adjourns till half after 3 o'clock.

# POST MERIDIEM.

Mesheurs W. Stevenson and Gaunt, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 2, 1780.

On reading the representation of captain John Rudolph, setting forth, that he was appointed by colonel Henry Lee, jun. to purchase dragoon horses, for his legion, and was directed by him to apply to this state for money to defray his expences, RESOLVED, That the governor and the council be requested to draw their order on the treasurer of the western shore, to pay the said captain Rudolph twelve thousand continental dollars, for which he is to be accountable to major-general Greene, and that the said money be charged to the United States. F. GREEN, clk.

Which was read, affented to, and sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll, of Car-By order,

The senate proceeded to ballot for a register of wills in Queen-Anne's county, the ballot box was prepared, and the ballots deposited therein, scaled up, and delivered to the committee of rollton, Esq; this house appointed to meet the committee of the other house, who retired to the conference room, examined the ballot box, returned, and reported, that Solomon Clayton had a majority of votes. Whereupon it is declared in the senate, That Solomon Clayton, Esq; is duly elected register of wills for Queen-Anne's county.

The senate adjourns till Monday morning half after 9 o'clock.

#### 1780. December 4, Υ, A D N M

The proceedings of Saturday were read.

The senate adjourns till half after 3 o'clock.

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

#### 1780. December 5, Υ, A D

HE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. On motion, the question was put, That the senate should now go into a second reading of the bill, entitled, An act for the confiscation and seizure of British property? Carried in the NEGATIV,E. negative.

Honourable Daniel of St. Thomas Jeniser, Esq; president, honourable Matthew Tilghman, Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Thomas Stone, Brice T. B. Worthington, William Hindman, and William Hemsley, Esquires. T. I. V. E.

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Honourable Upton Sheredine, and Richard Barnes, Esquires.

The senate adjourns till half after 3 o'clock

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