# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, November, 1781. 12

A petition from Anthony Addison and Eleanor Callis, of Prince-George's county, praying the legislature to invest them with a part of their father Henry Addison's estate, now an absentee, was read, referred to the house of delegates, and sent by Charles Carroll, Barrister, Esq; The senate adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

## 1781. December 3, N D A Υ, M

HE senate met. Present as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read. John Smith, Esq; appeared in the senate, and after qualifying as directed by law and the form of government, and subscribing a declaration of his belief in the christian religion, took his feat.

A representation from the commissioners to preserve confiscated British property, requesting the general affembly to direct them at what value to receive the money last emitted; and the petition of John Orr, of Frederick county; were read, referred to the confideration of the house of delegates, and sent by Richard Barnes, Esq; The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

### 1781. December 4, Y, D A

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Benedict Edward Hall, Esq; has leave of absence until Monday next. Messieurs Chew and Duckett, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the sollowing resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 4, 1781.

RESOLVED, That the commissioners to preserve confiscated British property, and the treasurer of the western shore, be authorised and directed to receive the bills of credit of the last emission at par with specie, in payment for any confiscated British property; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to extend to the contract for, and sale of, Whetstone-point. F. GREEN, clk.

By order, Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table. The above resolution was read, unanimously rejected, and sent to the house of delegates by

William Hindman, Esq; The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

#### December 5, Υ, S D A E

HE senate met. Present as on yesterday, except Benedict Edward Hall and Edward Lloyd, Esquires. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Thomas Stone, Esq; ap-

peared in the senate. Messieurs Stull and Chapline, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act to make valid a deed made by Jonathan Hagar to Daniel Heester the younger, of the state of Pennsylvania, and to confirm a deed of partition made between the trustees of the faid Jonathan Hagar and the said Daniel Heester, endorsed; " By the house of delegates, December 5, 1781: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass. F. GREEN, clk."

"'By order,

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. Messiours Morris and Kirkman, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Mary Polton, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 5, 1781: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass. F. GREEN, clk. " By order,

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. The fenate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

#### Y, December 6, R S D A H U

HE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. A petition from Simon Nicholls, collector of the tax in Montgomery county, praying a longer time to complete his collection; the petition of Thomas Harwood, sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, praying that the inhabitants might be indulged with a longer time to make the fecond payment; the petition of Frederick Daker, of Baltimore county, praying that he might be relieved from a fine; the petition of Michael Myer, of Washington county, praying that the confideration of an application from Mary Pindle may be postponed till next session of assembly;