

conversion, or slander, or to actions of trespass, or for assault and battery, or imprisonment, or to such actions where the title or boundaries of land shall or may come in question."
The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 8 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, May 5, 1787.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Burgess, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Thomas Morton, of Montgomery county, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 4, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."
"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."
"By the house of delegates, May 5, 1787: Read the second time by especial order and will pass."
"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."
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 8 o'clock.

S U N D A Y, May 6, 1787.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday, except Samuel Hughes, Esquire. The proceedings of yesterday were read. George Gale, Esquire, has leave of absence.
The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 8 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, May 7, 1787.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday, except George Gale, Esquire. The proceedings of yesterday were read. John Hall, Esquire, appeared in the senate.
The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Thomas Morton, of Montgomery county, was read the second time and will pass.
The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Peter Green and Bennett Hamilton, of Charles county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendment.
Amendment proposed. In the second page strike out the second enacting clause.
The bill, entitled, An act for vesting an estate for life in Henry Rozer, and estates in fee-simple in Eleanor Rozer, the daughter of Thomas Whittenhall Rozer, deceased, and in the heirs of Notley Rozer, son of the said Henry Rozer, in sundry lands therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed with the proposed amendment, and, with the above bills, was sent to the house of delegates by John Hall, Esquire.
Amendment proposed. At the end of the bill insert "provided nevertheless, that the estate herein before limited of the moiety of the tract of land called Bennett's Lowe, shall not take effect till the said Henry Rozer shall, under the direction of the chancellor, settle lands of equal value with the moiety of the said tract of land called Bennett's Lowe, on the heirs of Notley Rozer, deceased, in the same manner, and with the same limitations, that the heirs of the said Notley Rozer, deceased, now hold the aforesaid moiety of the said tract of land called Bennett's Lowe."
The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.

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

The senate met.
The president lays before the senate a letter from his excellency the governor, enclosing a letter from the secretary of congress, containing a resolution extending the privilege of sending and receiving letters and packets free of postage to the members of the convention to be held at Philadelphia, also a resolution for the sale of the lands already surveyed in the western territory, and also a resolution empowering the board of treasury to contract for the coining a certain quantity of copper; which were severally read, referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by William Perry, Esquire.

Mr. F. Bowie, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, MAY 7, 1787.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

ON the report of the gentlemen named to strike the ballots on Thursday last for the election of a deputy to meet the federal convention to be held at Philadelphia, the ballots for Gabriel Duvall, Esquire, appeared to be thirty-seven, and those for Daniel of Saint Thomas Jenifer, Esquire, thirty-five, which, upon examination, were found to be five more than there were members attending the general assembly, owing, we apprehend, to the mistake of some of the delegates, who, on a ballot being called for some time before going into one, put their tickets then in the box, and afterwards, when the general ballot took place, not recollecting this circumstance, put in again; to remedy which, we propose that a ballot again be had between the above gentlemen at five o'clock this evening. Mr. Dent and Mr. Robert Bowie are named by us to examine the ballot boxes.

Which was read.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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