

48 VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, November, 1788

BY THE SENATE, NOVEMBER 12, 1788. GENTLEMEN, WE have appointed William Petry, Richard Ridgely and Peregrine Tilghman, Esquires, to meet the gentlemen for the purposes named in your message by Mr. Fawcett. By order, J. DORSEY, clk. The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, November 13, 1788.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

THURSDAY, November 14, 1788.

THE same members appeared as on yesterday, except John Hall, Daniel Carroll and Samuel Hughes, Esquires. Edward Lloyd, Esquire, appeared in the senate. The members present adjourn till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY, November 15, 1788.

THE same members appeared as on yesterday, and adjourn till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

MONDAY, November 17, 1788.

THE same members appeared as on Saturday. George Gale, Esquire, appeared in the senate. The members present adjourn till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

TUESDAY, November 18, 1788.

THE same members appeared as on yesterday, and adjourn till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, November 19, 1788.

THE same members appeared as on yesterday, except William Petry, Esquire, who is indisposed. John Hall and James Carroll, Esquires, appeared in the senate. The members present adjourn till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

THURSDAY, November 20, 1788.

THE same members appeared as on yesterday, except John Hall, Esquire. Samuel Hughes and Daniel Carroll, Esquires, appeared in the senate. The honourable George Gale and James Carroll, Esquires, after having qualified, by taking the several oaths directed by the constitution and form of government, and subscribing a declaration of their belief in the christian religion, took their seats. The proceedings from Thursday last to this day were read. The president lays before the senate a letter from Thomas Johnson, Esquire, declining to accept the appointment of governor, and also a letter from William Harrison, Esquire, informing the senate his indisposition prevents his attendance. The following message was prepared, agreed to, and sent to the house of delegates by Samuel Hughes, Esquire.

BY THE SENATE, NOVEMBER 20, 1788. GENTLEMEN, THOMAS Johnson, Esquire, having refused to accept the appointment of governor, we propose that another gentleman be chosen in his stead, by the joint ballot of both houses, to-morrow at twelve o'clock. By order, J. DORSEY, clk. The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY, November 21, 1788.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. John Hall, Esquire, appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Pinkney, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of George Wolf, of Baltimore county, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 17, 1788. Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table." W. HARWOOD, clk. "By order, W. HARWOOD, clk." "By the house of delegates, November 18, 1788. Read the second time by especial order and will pass." W. HARWOOD, clk. "By order,

And also the following resolution: By