

10 VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1802.

represent this state in the senate of the United States from the third day of March next until the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and nine. Given under my hand, and the seal of this state, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and —, and in the — year of the independence of America.

By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the resolution respecting the appointment of a senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 17, 1802."
"Read the first and second time by especial order and assented to.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

The senate proceeded to the election of a senator from the western shore to represent this state in the senate of the United States; the ballot box being prepared, the ballots were deposited therein, sealed up, and delivered to the committee of the senate appointed to join the committee of the house of delegates, who retired to the conference room, and after examining the ballots returned and reported, that Samuel Smith had forty-six votes and John Eager Howard had thirty votes.

Whereupon it is declared in the senate, that Samuel Smith is duly elected a senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States.

The resolution in favour of Henry Gaither was read the second time and dissented from.

The bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act to remove the market-house at the head of Elk, and establish the same, and for the advancement and regulation of the said town, was read the second time and passed.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

T H U R S D A Y, November 18, 1802.

thTHE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The resolution in favour of Henry Gaither, and the bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act to remove the market-house at the head of Elk, and establish the same, and for the advancement and regulation of said town, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Mr. Brown, from the committee, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to prevent slaves hiring themselves, or acting as free, and to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following resolutions:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 18, 1802.

RESOLVED, That all proceedings against William Gardiner, and others, for the recovery of the balance due him to the state of Maryland, be and they are hereby suspended until after the first day of December, eighteen hundred and three, and that the said William Gardiner be and he is hereby indulged in the payment of the said balance until the period before mentioned; provided, that the judgment aforesaid shall continue and be in full force, notwithstanding the suspension of proceedings directed by this resolution, and if the balance that will then be due on the aforesaid judgment be not paid by the time aforesaid, an execution may again be issued against the said William Gardiner to enforce the payment thereof.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 18, 1802.

RESOLVED, That all proceedings against Charles Gardiner, and others, for the recovery of the balance due him to the state of Maryland, be and they are hereby suspended until after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and three, and that the said Charles Gardiner be and he is hereby indulged in the payment of the said balance till the period before mentioned; provided, that the judgment aforesaid shall continue and be in full force, notwithstanding the suspension of proceedings directed by this resolution, and if the balance that will then be due on the aforesaid judgment be not paid by the time aforesaid, an execution may again be issued against the said Charles Gardiner to enforce the payment thereof.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

And a bill, entitled, An act to extend the powers of the trustees of the poor of Montgomery county, endorsed "By the house of delegates, November 15, 1802: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, November 18, 1802: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The senate having previously qualified agreeably to the constitution and form of government, proceeded to the election of a member from the western shore of this state; the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, and the examination thereof it appeared, that Thomas Duckett had a majority of votes.

Whereupon it is declared in the senate, that Thomas Duckett is duly elected a member of the senate.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.