

from accepting, claiming or retaining any title of honor or nobility, without the consent of congress, or accepting or retaining any present, pension, office or emolument from any foreign power. Also communications from the states of New-York, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, relative to an exchange of laws. And also a communication from the state of New-York, soliciting the aid and co-operation of this state towards improving the internal navigation of that state; which were read and ordered to lie on the table.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1811.

THE Senate met.—Present the same members as on yesterday.—The proceedings of yesterday were read.

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

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Nov. 5, 1811.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We concur in the proposition made by your body, of immediately employing some person to print the laws and the votes and proceedings of the general assembly, and to perform such other services as have usually been performed by the printer employed by the state, or may be required by the legislature, or either branch thereof, or by the governor and the council. The house of delegates concur in the mode proposed by the senate of ascertaining such person by joint ballot.

By order,

JOHN BREWER, Clk.

Which was read.

A petition from the president, managers and company of the Baltimore and Frederick-town, the Baltimore and Reister's-town and the Baltimore and York town turnpike roads, praying a supplementary law confirming said roads, was preferred, read and referred to Messrs. MacCreery, Hawkins and W. Hollingsworth to consider and report thereon.

Mr. James G. Davis was appointed assistant clerk, who qualified as such.

The following resolution was read the first and second time by special order, assented to, and with the communication from the executive, sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

BY THE SENATE, Nov. 6, 1811.

Resolved, That the Governor and Council be requested to transmit without delay to the secretary of state of the United States, and to the governors of the several states, an attested copy of the act of the last session of the general assembly of this state, entitled, "An act to ratify an amendment to the constitution of the United States