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Votes and Proceedings
 OF THE
 HOUSE OF DELEGATES
 OF THE
 STATE of MARYLAND.
 OCTOBER SESSION, 1777.

Being the FIRST SESSION of this ASSEMBLY.

AT a session of the General Assembly of Maryland, convened by the Governor and the Council, and begun and held at the city of Annapolis on Friday the thirty-first of October, in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven, the following members appeared in the house of delegates.

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| For ST. MARY's county.
John Hatton Read,
Richard Barnes,
Edmund Plowden. | DORCHESTER.
John Smoot,
Joseph Daffin. | WORCESTER.
Thomas Purnell,
Josiah Mitchell. |
| KENT.
John Maxwell,
Ezekiel Forman. | BALTIMORE.
John Stevenson. | FREDERICK.
Christopher Edelen,
Jacob Young,
Upton Sheredine. |
| ANNE-ARUNDEL.
John Hall,
Rezin Hammond,
Nicholas Worthington. | CÆCIL.
John Veazey. | HARFORD.
Henry Wilson,
William Smithson. |
| CALVERT.
William Fitzhugh,
Alexander Somervill,
John Mackall. | PRINCE-GEORGE'S.
John Contee. | BALTIMORE-TOWN.
Jeremiah T. Chase. |
| CHARLES.
Zephaniah Turner,
James Forbes. | City of ANNAPOLIS.
Samuel Chase,
John Brice. | WASHINGTON.
Joseph Sprigg. |
| SOMERSET.
Thomas Maddux,
Levin Wilson. | TALBOT.
Nicholas Thomas,
James Benson,
John Gibson,
Howes Goldsborough. | MONTGOMERY.
Edward Burges,
Elisha Williams,
Richard Crabb. |
| | QUEEN-ANNE'S.
James Kent. | |

A sufficient number of delegates to proceed to business being convened at the ball-room, they severally qualified in presence of each other, by taking the several oaths required by the constitution and form of government, subscribing a declaration of their belief in the christian religion, and by taking, repeating, and subscribing, the oath of fidelity prescribed by the act, entitled, An act to punish certain crimes and misdemeanors, and to prevent the growth of toryism.

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