VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SELSION, 1801.

S D A Y, December 1, 1801. TUE

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

Mr. Magruder and Mr. Holland appeared in the house.

A petition from John Simkins, of Allegany county, praying an error in a patent may be corrected, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. J. Tomlinson, Mr. Holbrook and Mr. Montgomery, to consider and report

The bill to empower the late sheriff and collector of Kent county to collect the balances due him, was read

the fecond time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from Thomas Roifton, of Baltimore county, praying an act of infolvency, was preferred, read,

and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a fimilar nature.

On motion, the question was put, That the bill relative to the administration of justice in the several counties of this state, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, be committed for amendment? The year and nays being required, appeared as follow:

Meffeurs	Thomas, W. Dorfey, L. Dorfey, Holland, Carcaud, Eftep,	Stanfbury, Moore, Lemmon, Love, Rofe, Lloyd,	A F F Martin, Veazey, Alexander, Miller, Moffit, Wood,	I R M A Carr, Van-Horn, Thompson, Burgels, Lowrey,	T I V E. Shriver, Hawkins, Kemp, Montgomery, Forwood,	E. Davis, Lytle, Orrell, Mason, Tillotson,	Dickfon, Smith, Cellar, Tilghman, B. Tomlinfon.	5 8.
Meffeurs	W. Neale, Barber, R. Neale, Hebb,	Merriken, P. Stuart, Jones, Chapman, M'Pherson.	N E Denny, Holbrook, Lowes, Hyland, Dafhiell,	G A T I Goldfborough, Anderson, Steele, Quynn,	V E. Ridgely, Quinton, Handy, Williams,	Dougials, Magruder, T. Davis, Swearingen,	Veatch, J. Tombinion, Crefap, Simkins.	-32

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

A petition from Alexander Laing, of Talbot county, an alien, praying an act may pass enabling him to hold and transmit property, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Lloyd, Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Martin, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Thomas, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the regulating the mode of staying execution, and repealing the acts of assembly therein mentioned.

and for other purposes; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Chapman, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to regulate public ferries;

which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Charles Queen, of Allegany county, praying the chancellor may be authorised to vacate the patent issued in the name of Peter Dugan instead of Patrick Dugan, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Crefap, Mr. Goldsborough and Mr. B. Tomlinson, to consider and report thereon.

The bill to incorporate the Roman catholic congregation in Saint Mary's county, known by the name of

Saint-Nicholas's Congregation; was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Swearingen, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to extend the powers of the trustees of the poor of Montgomery county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Lloyd, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Alexander and ordered to lie on the table.

The further supplement to an act to streighten and amend the public roads in Harford county, and to repeal

the act of affembly therein mentioned, was read the fecond time and paffed.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to repair the old or to build a new poor-house in Anne-Arundel county. ORDERED, That Mr. W. Dorsey, Mr. L. Dorsey, Mr. Ridgely, Mr. Harwood and Mr. Quynn, be a committee to prepare and bring in the fame.

The bill to relinquish the right of this state to the tract of land therein mentioned, was read the second time

and passed.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

December 2, 1801. \mathbf{D} \mathbf{N} E S D A Υ,

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read Mr. Hanson appeared in the house.

The bill to relinquish the right of this state to the tract of land therein mentioned, and the further supplement to an act to streighten and amend the public roads in Harford county, and to repeal the act of allembly therein mentioned, were fent to the fenate by the clerk.

A petition from John Thomas, of Talbot county, counter to the petition of John Erikins, was preferred, ead, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which it is counter.

Mr. Bowie