VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS.

TUESDAY, November 6, 1810.

ONDAY, the fifth instant, being the day appointed by the constitution and form of government for the meeting of the general assembly of this state, several members of this house accordingly met on that day, but a sufficient number of members to proceed to business not appearing, the members present adjourned until today, when the following members appeared, viz.

For Saint-Mary's County. Mr. Thomas Gardiner. Kent County. Mr. Cuthbert Hall, Mr. James Harris,

Mr. Cornelius Comegys, jun. Mr. James Welch.

Anne-Arundel County.

Mr. John S. Belt, Mr. William H. Marriott,

Mr. Richard Hall, of Edward,

Mr. Anderson Warfield.

Calvert County. Mr. Thomas Blake,

Mr. Richard Grahame.

Charles County. Mr. Thomas Rogerson,

Mr. William H. M. Pherson.

Baltimore County. Mr. Tobias E. Stansbury,

Mr. George Harryman, Mr. Beale Randall.

Talbot County.

Mr. Samuel Stevens, junior, Mr. James Wainwright,

Mr. James Nabb.

Somerset County.

Mr. Thomas Bayly,

Mr. Littleton P. Dennis.

Dorchester County. Mr. William W. Eccleston,

Mr. Solomon Frazier,

Mr. John Stewart.

Cæcil County, Mr. John S. Moffitt,

Mr. Henry W. Physick,

Mr. John Groome.

Prince-George's County.

Mr. Joseph Cross, Mr. Francis M. Hall,

Mr. John C. Herbert,

Mr. Robert W. Bowie.

City of Annapolis.

Mr. George Mackubin,

Mr. James Boyle.

Queen-Anne's County.

Mr. Stephen Miers, Mr. Thomas Emory,

Mr. Samuel Burgess.

Worcester County.

Mr. R. J. H. Handy, Mr. Littleton Quinton. Frederick County.

Mr. John Schley, Mr. Joshua Cockey.

Harford County.

Mr. Stevenson Archer.

Mr. John Forwood, Mr. John Streett.

Garoline County.

Mr. Peter Willis,

Mr. Alemby Jump.

City of Baltimore.

Mr. Theodorick Bland,

Mr. James Marcin.

Washington County.

Mr. John Bowles. Mr. Thomas B. Hall.

Dr. William Downey,

Dr. William B. Williams.

Montgomery County.

Mr. Edward Owen.

Allegany County.

Mr. Levi Hilleary,

Mr. John H. Bayard,

Mr. Aquila A. Browne.

A sufficient number of delegates being convened, they severally qualified in the presence of each other, by taking the several oaths required by the constitution and form of government, by subscribing a declaration of their belief in the Christian religion, and by taking, repeating and subscribing, the oath to support the constitution of the United States.

The house proceeded to ballot for a speaker; the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, on examination

thereof it appeared, that Tobias E. Stansbury, Esquire, was unanimously elected.

Mr. John Brewer, was appointed chief clerk. ORDERED, That he be qualified as such, by taking the several ouths required, by subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion, and by taking an oath that he will honestly, faithfully and diligently, discharge the office of Clerk to the House of Delegates, and that he will not reveal or disclose the secrets thereof.

Mr. John S. Skinner was elected assistant clerk. ORDERED, That he be qualified as such, by taking the several oaths required, by subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion, and by taking an oath that he will honestly, faithfully and diligently, discharge the office of Assistant Clerk to the House of Delegates, and that he will not reveal or disclose the secrets thereof.

The house appointed Mr. Cornelius Mills sergeant at arms, and Mr. John Sullivane doorkeeper. ORDERED,

That they be qualified.

ORDERED, That Mr. Boyle and Mr. C. Hall inform the Reverend Mr. Wyatt, that the house request he will perform Divine Service every morning at the meeting of the house.