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Anne-Arundel County, Sc.

ON application by petition in writing of Edward Holland, to me the subscriber, Chief Judge of the Orphans Court for the said county, praying the benefit of the Act of Assembly, entitled "An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors (on oath so far as he could ascertain them) being annexed to his said petition, and I being satisfied that the said Edward Holland has resided in the state of Maryland for two years next preceding the date of his said petition, and I having appointed Howes Navy trustee for the benefit of the creditors of the said Edward Holland, which said trustee has given bond in due form for the faithful performance of his trust, and the said Edward Holland having given bond with security for his personal appearance in Anne Arundel County Court, on the third Monday in April next, to answer to allegations or interrogatories of his creditors, and having executed a deed of conveyance to his said trustee for all his property, real, personal and mixed, and the trustee having certified the delivery thereof to him by the said Edward Holland, I do hereby order and adjudge that the said Edward Holland give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the newspapers printed in the city of Annapolis, once a week for the term of three months, to appear before Anne Arundel County Court, to be held in the city of Annapolis on the third Monday of April next, to show cause if any they have, why the said Edward Holland should not have the benefit of the said act and supplements as prayed.

GIDEON WHITE.

Jan 11.—3m.

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Aug. 27.

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LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Saturday, January 23rd.

Mr. Duvall presented a memorial of sundry citizens of New Market election district, in Frederick county, praying for a law to establish primary schools in said county.

Mr Richardson presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying a change in the present License system.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of Sarah Hall, of Frederick county to be divorced from her husband John H. Hall.

Mr Worthington presented a petition of the Inspectors, Shippers, and Agents, for the sale of Tobacco, in the city of Baltimore, praying the erection of a new warehouse in the said city.

Mr. Carpenter presented a report from the judges of the Orphans court of Charles county, of the application made by them of the free school fund of said county.

And, Mr Wharton presented a petition of sundry citizens of Washington county, praying the repeal of the second section of the act passed December session 1825, chapter 223, relating to the manner of taking Supersedeas.

On motion of Mr. Heard, the house took up for consideration the order submitted by Mr. Dashiell, instructing the committee on inspections to inquire into the expediency of constructing a tobacco warehouse in the city of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. Heard, said order was amended by striking out the words, "the committee on inspections," and inserting in lieu thereof, the following, "a select committee of five, to be appointted by the chair."

The said order was then read the second time as amended and adopted.

In pursuance whereof, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Heard Worthington, Kent, Brown and Iglehart, to compose the committee.

Mr. Jones obtained leave to bring in a bill, to alter and amend the constitution and form of government, so as to require the assent of two thirds of each branch of the Legislature to annul a marriage contract.

Mr. Ridgely obtained leave to bring in a bill, to regulate constables fees in Anne Arundel county.

On motion of Mr. Fowler,

Ordered, that the committee on the coloured population be instructed to inquire into the expediency of reporting a bill, providing for the more effectual banishment of the children of free people of colour in this state.

Mr. Larrimore submitted the following order,

Ordered, that a select committee of five members be appointed to enquire into the propriety of procuring a sword, with appropriate ornaments, and presenting the same to John W. Holding, on behalf of the General Assembly of Maryland, as a testimonial of the admiration and gratitude of his native State, for his distinguished gallantry, and highly valuable services during the last war with Great Britain.

Which was twice read and adopted.

Mr. Duckett, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, delivered the following report.

The committee on grievances and courts of justice, to whom was referred the petition of sundry citizens of Anne Arundel county praying for the election of Constables in said county by the people, and allowing them the sum of [illegible] dollars per annum, in lieu of their fees as at present regulated by law, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report, that they deem it inexpedient to grant the prayer of the petitioners, and that they have leave to withdraw their petition.

Mr. Teackle reported a bill, to provide for establishing an Agricultural School and Pattern Farm in each of the counties of this State.

Mr. Duckett, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, reported a supplement to an act, relating to certain fees in Anne Arundel county court, passed at December session 1831, chapter 109.

Mr. Richardson reported a bill, to incorporate the Band of United Brothers of the State of Maryland.

And Mr. Merrick, chairman of the committee on ways and means, reported a bill, to incorporate the Chesapeake Bank.

Mr. Annan, reported a supplement to the act, for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805.

On motion of Mr. Carroll, of St. Mary's, the house took up for consideration, the resolution submitted by him on the 6th inst. requesting his Excellency the Governor, to procure a sword with suitable ornaments and devices, and present it in the name of his native State, to Capt. John A. Webster, for his gallant defence of the battery committed to his charge, during the memorable attack against the city of Baltimore, September 12, 1814.

The said resolution was then read the second time.

Mr. Merrick moved to lay said resolution on the table.

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Merrick then submitted the following order,

Ordered, That the resolution, requiring the Governor to procure a sword for Capt. John A. Webster, be referred to a special committee of seven, to ascertain and report, what officers of the United States army and navy, citizens of this State, or of the militia of the State have, by their valour in the late war, merited the distinguished honour of having a sword voted to them by the legislature, and who have not heretofore received that honour, and to report by bill or otherwise.

Which was twice read.

On the question being put, will the House adopt said order.

It was determined in the negative.

Mr. Brown, (seconded by two other members that voted in the majority) moved to reconsider the vote of the House, laying said resolution, in relation to procuring a sword for Capt. John A. Webster, on the table.

Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, will the House assent to said resolution.

Resolved in the affirmative;

So the resolution was assented to,

Mr. Gough submitted the following,

Ordered, That the committee on claims be instructed to inquire into the expediency of allowing William B. Bond, of Harford county, and George R. Richardson, of Baltimore city, a sufficient compensation for prosecuting the cases of the State, against Evan T. Poultney and others, in Harford county court.

Which was twice read.

Mr. Burchenal moved that said order be rejected;

Resolved in the affirmative.

The house then adjourned.

Monday, January 25th.

Mr. Richardson presented a petition of one hundred and [illegible] citizens of the city of Baltimore, [illegible] for a change in the present License System.

And Mr. McLean presented a petition of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying [illegible] to incorporate a Real Estate [illegible] said city, with a capital of five millions of [illegible]

Mr. Ely presented a petition of William Wi[illegible] of Prince William county, and State of Virginia, praying the passage of an act, to authorise him to bring into this State, certain negro slaves therein mentioned.

Also, Mr. Miller presented a petition of Ezekiel Foreman a free negro of Kent county, praying for relief therein mentioned.

Mr. McLean presented a petition of Mary E. Lewis, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a divorce from her husband, William W. Lewis.

Mr. Traverse presented a petition of sundry citizens of Dorchester county, praying that the present Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Back town, may be revested with the same power and authority, as the original Trustees of said Church, and new decreased.

Mr. Carpenter presented a petition of sundry citizens of Charles county, praying that there may be no Legislative interference with the Fisheries on the Potomac river.

Mr. McLean presented a memorial of Andrew Martin, Philip Reily, James Webb, and others, praying to be incorporated as 'The Calvert Beneficial Society of Baltimore.'

Also, presented a memorial of Ashton Alexander, Edward Gray, S. D. Walker, and others, praying to be incorporated as "The Phœnix Fire Insurance of Baltimore."

And, Mr. Bayly presented a petition of J. B. Monroe, praying the Legislature to take the necessary measures, to insure to him the bounty land due to his late father, as a soldier of the revolution in the Maryland line.

The bill reported by Mr. Carpenter, chairman of the committee on divorces, to divorce Susan Stewart, of Charles county, from her husband John W. Stewart, And,

The bill reported by him, to divorce Andrew Young, of city of Baltimore, from his wife [illegible]

Were severally taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed, and sent to the Senate.

The bill reported by Mr Carpenter chairman of the committee on divorces, to divorce Eli Unglesbee of Frederick county, from his wife Lavisa Unglesbee.

And, the bill also, reported by him to divorce Jacob Christ, of Washington county, from his wife Amelia Christ.

Were severally taken up for consideration, read the second time, and severally rejected.

The clerk of the Senate returned the bill, further to continue an act passed at November session, 1795, entitled, an act to incorporate an Insurance Company in Baltimore town, endorsed, "will pass," ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolution in favour of Sarah Easton and Mary Holland, severally endorsed, assented to, and ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house took up for consideration the bill from the Senate, entitled, a further supplement to the act, to incorporate the Stockholders of the Marine Bank of Baltimore.

The said bill was then read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the Senate, returned the bill, authorising the judges of the Levy court of Frederick county, in their discretion, to levy a sum of money to build a bridge over the Catoctin creek, on the public road, leading from Middletown.

Also, the bill, for the relief of the old citizens of Frederick city, in Frederick county.

Also, the bill, to confirm an act, passed December session 1834, chapter 166, to alter and change a part of the division line between the second, third and fourth election districts in Washington county.

And, the supplement to an act, passed December session 1833, chapter 141, for the reassessment and revaluation of all the real and personal property in Washington county, severally endorsed, "will pass," and severally ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. McLean, the house took up for consideration, the bill reported by him as chairman of the committee on corporations, entitled, an act to incorporate the Patuxent Company.

The said bill was then read the second time amended, and passed.

The house then adjourned.

Tuesday, January 26th.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of sundry citizens of Emmittsburg, and its vicinity, in Frederick county, praying for a donation from the state, to the Union Academy of Emmittsburg.

Mr. Duvall presented a petition of William J. Thompson of Frederick county, praying the passage of an act to authorise him to sell a mulatto girl for her unexpired term, to some person beyond the state.

Mr. Brown presented a petition of Alexander Gillis, and Greenbury Shipley, praying that an act may pass, authorising and requiring the commissioners of Baltimore county, to levy a sum of money to pay for opening a road therein mentioned.

Mr. Long presented a petition of sundry citizens of Somerset county, praying the state of Virginia, respecting processioning and adjusting boundaries of land, may be enacted in this state,

And, Mr. Ely presented a petition of Alexander Kerr of Baltimore county, praying a special act to make valid a certain will therein mentioned.

Mr. McCullough presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Cecil county, counter to the memorial of sundry citizens from Prince George's county, relative to the fisheries on the Potomac river.

Mr. Annan presented a petition of the President and Students of Mount St. Mary's College, in Frederick county setting forth that they had organized a uniform and permanent rifle corps, and praying to be furnished with fifty rifles, from the armory of the state.

Mr Derby presented a petition of Martha Green of Montgomery county, praying to be placed on the pension roll of said county,

And, Mr. Spence presented a petition of Sarah Birch and others of Worcester county, praying to be placed on the pension roll of said county

Mr Hood presented a petition of sundry citizens of Anne Arundel county, praying an alteration of the present license laws of the state.

Mr. Shriver presented a petition of sundry citizens of Frederick county praying the passage of an act, authorising the Orphans court of said county, to distribute certain funds therein mentioned

Mr. Winder presented a memorial of John B. Morris, of the city of Baltimore, praying an inquiry into the facts therein set forth, and the causes which led to the mob in Baltimore.

Mr. Winder, then submitted the following message, and asked to be excused from serving upon the joint committee, if one should be directed by the House.

Gentlemen of the Senate.

We propose with the concurrence of your honourable body to appoint a joint committee of the two Houses to consist of nine members, to consider and report upon the memorial of the sufferers by the late riots in the city of Baltimore. We have named Messrs. [illegible] to join such gentlemen as may be named on the part of your honourable body to perform this service.

The blank in said message was then filled by the chair, with the names of Messrs. Merrick, Pratt, Traverse, McLean and Wheaton,

Mr. McLean asked to be excused from serving upon said committee,

On the question being put,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The speaker then appointed Mr. Ely on said committee, in place of Mr. McLean, who was excused,

The said message was then read the second time, and assented to.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house took up for consideration the memorial of John B Morris, praying an inquiry into the facts therein set forth and the causes which led to the mob in Baltimore, &c.

On motion of Mr. Burchenal, said memorial was referred to the joint committee already appointed on that subject, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Berry submitted the following order,

Ordered, That the committee on the coloured population, be instructed to enquir into the expediency of compelling free people of colour to emigrate from this state, in a stated period.