

assertion and protection of our rights and interests against the greatest and most powerful: The senate believe, that they cannot, at a juncture like the present, mark the close of the important functions which the people of Maryland have confided to them, by an act more acceptable to their constituents than this declaration, which they unanimously direct to be recorded on their journals.

The president being absent, the following resolution was propounded and unanimously assented to.

By the S E N A T E, January 28, 1806.

RESOLVED unanimously, That the thanks of the senate be presented to Richard Harwood, Esquire, in testimony of their approbation of his conduct in the chair, and of his ability, impartiality and attention, manifested in the discharge of the various duties assigned him as president of the senate.

By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Partridge and Mr. Ringgold wait on the governor, and request his attendance in the senate chamber for the purpose of signing and sealing the engrossed bills.

His excellency the governor attending in the senate, ORDERED, That Mr. Thomas and Mr. T. Johnson wait upon the house of delegates, and inform them his excellency is attending in the senate chamber for the purpose of signing and sealing the engrossed bills.

The speaker, attended by the members of the house of delegates, appeared in the senate, and the following engrossed bills were presented by the speaker to his excellency the governor, who signed and sealed the same in the presence of both houses.

No. 1. An ACT to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council for the ensuing year.

No. 2. An ACT granting leave to the trustees of Bethel congregation, in Harford county, to receive a deed for, and hold, the land therein mentioned.

No. 3. An ACT for the relief of Thomas Webb, of Montgomery county.

No. 4. An ACT for the relief of Benjamin Gushwa, Martin Rickart and John Manning, of Washington county.

No. 5. An ACT to change the names of Jacob Sedgwick, Matthias Sedgwick, George Sedgwick and Christian Sedgwick, to the names of Jacob Adreon, Matthias Adreon, George Adreon and Christian Adreon.

No. 6. An ACT for the establishment of a school in the city of Baltimore.

No. 7. An ACT to authorise the justices of the levy court of Washington county to assess a sum of money on the taxable property of said county for the purposes therein mentioned.

No. 8. An ACT to authorise, and empower the levy court of Worcester county to levy annually a sum of money on the assessable property of said county for the purposes therein mentioned.

No. 9. An ACT to open a road from Barnsville, in Montgomery county, to Zachariah Maccubbin's mill, and thence to intersect the main road leading from Frederick-town to George-town, at or near Log-town.

No. 10. An ACT to vest temporary powers in the several clerks in the several counties of this state.

No. 11. An ACT for the more effectual preservation of the breed of wild deer in Somerset county.

No. 12. An ACT to enable James Walker, John Sprigg Belt and Archibald Dorsey, to complete the collection of the county tax in certain districts in Anne-Arundel county.

No. 13. An ACT authorising James Hackett, and others, securities of James R. Pratt, late sheriff; and John B. Hackett and Richard E. Harrison, late collectors, of Queen-Anne's county, to complete the collection of the money due the said sheriff and collectors.

No. 14. An ACT confirming the title of Ignatius Davis to the land therein mentioned.

No. 15. A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to incorporate companies to make several turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and for other purposes.

No. 16. An ACT to confirm an act, entitled, An act to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals.

No. 17. An ACT to lay out and open a road from the Pennsylvania line by John Frey's forge, on Ocorara creek, to the tide water on the Susquehanna, in Cecil county.

No. 18. An ACT granting additional compensation to the harbour-master of the port of Baltimore.

No. 19. A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to establish a market, and to build a market-house, in the western precincts of Baltimore, and for the regulation of the same.

No. 20. An ACT to repeal the second section of an act, entitled, An act to enlarge further the powers of the trustees of the poor in the several counties therein mentioned.

No. 21. An ACT to lay out, open and clear, a road in Harford county, beginning at the end of Patrick Smith's lane, where the Peach Bottom road crosses the York road leading to Rock-Run, to intersect the main road leading from the Black House to the Pennsylvania line, at Miers's mill, on Deer creek.

No. 22. An ACT authorising the laying out a road in Worcester county from Mitchell's causeway to intersect the Soccum road leading to Broad creek.

No. 23. An ACT annulling the marriage of Archibald Alexander and Susanna Alexander.

No. 24. An ACT for the relief of William Thomas and John Carvil Hynson, junior, of Kent county.

No. 25. An ACT to authorise and empower the levy court of Baltimore county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned.

No. 26. An ACT to lay out and open a certain road in Harford county.

No. 27. An ACT for the relief of Henry Stevenson, of Baltimore county.

No. 28. An ACT for the benefit of Amelia Chance, of Caroline county.

No. 29. An ACT to continue the act therein mentioned.