

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1802.

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“By the senate, November 17, 1802: Read the second time and dissented from.

“By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.”

And a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act to remove the market-house at the head of Elk, and to establish the same, and for the advancement and regulation of the said town, endorsed; “By the senate, November 15, 1802: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

“By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

“By the senate, November 17, 1802: Read the second time and will pass.

“By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.”

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

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Anne-Arundel county, praying that a sum of money may be levied on the assessable property of said county for the support and maintenance of Ruth Young, and her son Benjamin, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Dorsey, Mr. Harwood and Mr. Merriken, to consider and report thereon.

The bill to authorise the levy court of Dorchester county to permit a certain part of the public road leading from the head of Church creek to the town of Cambridge, in the said county, to be changed, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Purviance, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower Judith C. Moale and Thomas Moale, of the city of Baltimore, to lease and demise the real estate of Richard Hatton Moale, deceased, for the purposes therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Love, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to lay out a road from William Sinclair's plantation to Vaughan's mine-run and gunpowder mills, and from thence to the Owl branch; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The report on the petition of Solomon Holmes and wife, of Dorchester county, was read the second time and concurred with.

A petition from Martha Howard, of Anne-Arundel county, praying that she may be released from all interest on a debt due from her to the state upon her paying the principal sum originally due, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Dorsey, Mr. Nelson and Mr. Harwood, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from John A. Gillison, of the city of Baltimore, praying that an act may pass enabling him to hold real property in this state, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Dickson, Mr. Moore and Mr. Purviance, to consider and report thereon.

The bill to extend the powers of the trustees of the poor of Montgomery county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Young, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the justices of the levy court of Caroline county to discontinue so much of the public road as is therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

F R I D A Y, November 19, 1802.

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

Mr. John Cottman, a delegate returned for Somerset county, appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government, and taking the oath to support the constitution of the United States, took his seat in the house.

The bill to declare a private road leading from Philip Hardcastle's mills, in Caroline county, until it intersects the main road leading from Greensborough to parson Keene's, a public highway, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Petitions from John Shrote, Zedekiah Snow, Christopher Shrote, Matthew Chambers and William Greer, of Baltimore county, and Robert Doyme, of the city of Baltimore, praying acts of insolvency, were preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

The report on the petition of James Boarman, of Charles county, was read the second time, the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from Michael Ozwalt, of Allegany county, praying that a law may pass authorising the register of the land-office to receive into his office a certificate which was omitted to be lodged in the office agreeably to law, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Bayard, Mr. Cromwell and Mr. Cresap, to consider and report thereon.

The bill to authorise the levy court of Dorchester county to permit a certain part of the road leading from the head of Church creek to the town of Cambridge, in the said county, to be changed, was sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from James B. Robins, of Worcester county, praying that a law may pass authorising the surviving trustee of John Purnell, deceased, to convey certain lands which he purchased of the three trustees appointed by