

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, JUNE SESSION, 1809.

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The message passed by this house was sent to the senate by the clerk.

Jesse Tomlinson, Esquire, a delegate for Allegany county, appeared and took his seat in the house.

The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, June 5, 1809.

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*

WE have received your message of this day, and are ready to go into the election of a governor immediately, and have appointed Mr. Chapman and Mr. Spencer, on the part of this house, to examine the ballots. No person is put in nomination by this house in addition to the one nominated by you.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

ORDERED, That five hundred copies of the letter from Robert Wright, Esq. the late governor, to the legislature, be printed for the use of the members.

The house having qualified agreeably to the constitution and form of government, proceeded to the choice of a governor; the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentlemen named to strike retired, and after some time returned and reported, that Edward Lloyd, Esquire, had a majority of votes.

Whereupon RESOLVED, That Edward Lloyd, Esquire, be, and he is hereby declared to be, Governor of the State of Maryland.

A memorial from David C. Stewart, Lloyd Buchanan and William P. Stewart, of Baltimore county, praying a special act of insolvency, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. R. Steuart, Mr. Harryman, Mr. Stansbury, Mr. Dorsey and Mr. Chapman, to consider and report thereon.

A memorial from Isaac Philips, and others, counter to the memorial of David C. Stewart, and others, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the memorial to which it is counter.

A petition from Dennis Connell, of Charles county, praying to be supported out of the poor's house, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Parnham, Mr. Dorsey and Mr. Chapman, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Harford and Baltimore counties, praying for a road from David Lee's mill to the navigable waters of Gunpowder river, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Stansbury, Mr. Streett, Mr. Bland, Mr. Harryman and Mr. Sanders, to consider and report thereon.

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

## T U E S D A Y, June 6, 1809.

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

RESOLVED, That — be one of the senators to represent this state in the senate of the United States till the fourth day of March, 1815, and that a commission issue to the said —, signed by the governor for the time being, or in his absence by the presiding member of the council, in the following words, to wit: The Legislature of Maryland, reposing especial confidence and trust in your integrity and abilities, hath appointed you a senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States till the fourth day of March, 1815. Given under my hand, and seal of this state, Annoque Domini —.

And the question was put, That the same have a second reading on Thursday next? Determined in the negative.

Mr. Stansbury, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to lay out a road therein mentioned; which was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following message:

By the S E N A T E, June 6, 1809.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

EDWARD LLOYD, Esquire, having been elected governor of the state, we propose that a joint letter should be written by the president of the senate and speaker of the house of delegates, and immediately forwarded by express, to notify him of his election, and to request his attendance, to be qualified according to the constitution and form of government.

Which was read.

By order,

T. ROGERS, clk.

Mr. R. Steuart, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of David C. Stewart, Lloyd Buchanan and William P. Stewart, of Baltimore county, insolvent debtors; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Jacob Stansbury, and others, praying a commissioner may be appointed to build a bridge across Jones Falls, in the place of Aquila Miles, deceased, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. R. Steuart, Mr. Bland and Mr. Stansbury, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from William Stansbury and Ellen Kent Stansbury, praying they may be authorised to lease the property of the said Ellen Kent Stansbury for ninety-nine years, renewable for ever, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. R. Steuart, Mr. Stansbury, Mr. Harryman, Mr. Brown and Mr. Streett, to consider and report thereon.