

Mr. Archer delivers a bill, entitled, An act concerning costs in criminal prosecutions; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. J. Thomas delivers a petition from William Brawner, of Frederick county, praying for a lottery for the purpose of building a boarding-house; which was read and referred to Mr. J. Thomas, Mr. J. H. Thomas and Mr. Baer, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Bayly delivers a report of the trustees of Washington academy, in Somerset county; which was read.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for the support of Azariah, Philip and Ninian Riggs, the bill to confirm certain acts of justices of the peace who hold or have held offices under the general government, the bill to repeal an act for the preservation of the navigation of Cabin creek, the bill authorising Buckler Bond, of Harford county, to erect gates on the road therein mentioned, the bill directing the register of the land-office of the western shore to issue a patent to George Churchman, and others, for the land and lot therein mentioned, the bill authorising the levy court of Montgomery county to levy a sum of money for the support and maintenance of David Hamilton, and the bill for the support of Elizabeth Reid, severally endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. And the resolution in favour of Benjamin Dulany, junior, endorsed, "assented to."

Mr. Streett delivers a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and make public a road in Baltimore county therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill to alter and abolish all that part of the constitution which permits certain citizens of Annapolis to vote for delegates for Anne-Arundel county, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.								
Messrs	Angier	Harryman	Gale	J S Moffitt	Hopper	J H Thomas	Driver	S Thomas
	Harris	M Brown	Cottman	Physick	Prideaux	Archer	Worthington	Wharton
	A Dorsey	Randall	Lecompte	Calvert	Quinton	Forwood	Cellar	Bayard
	Williams	Seth	Griffith	Herbert	Hayward	Davis	Brent	Cresap
	Grahame	Bayly	Groome	Perrie	J Thomas	Streett	Gaither	Reid
	Ireland	Winder	Veazey	J Brown	Baer	Willis		
N E G A T I V E.								
Mes	Plater	Hopewell	Stuart	C Dorsey	Sands	Boyle	Holbrook	Jump
	Hebb	Blakistone	Chapman					

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the bill sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to authorise the levy court of Washington county to appoint commissioners to lay off the road therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Tabbs delivers a bill, entitled, An act to clear and make public a road in Washington county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Boyle delivers the following report:

THE joint committee of both houses, appointed to examine into the expenditures made by the governor in repairing and furnishing the government-house, report, that at the time the present governor was appointed, the house was in a state of great decay, and some of the out-buildings totally uninhabitable; that his excellency has expended the greater part of the sum appropriated for repairing and furnishing the house, in repairs alone; that the whole has been done at as little expense as possible, particularly in such articles of furniture as may be deemed useful and ornamental, many of which have been made in his excellency's family, at a great saving to the state. Your committee beg leave farther to report, that although the governor, in his anxiety to repair the building, has expended a large proportion of the last year's appropriation thereon, yet that some material repairs are still necessary. The mortar in many parts of the brick work requires new pointing, and if not shortly done, will cost much more than at present, it will therefore be economy to make those repairs as soon as convenient. In consequence of the major part of the appropriation being applied to repairs, the government house has not been furnished as completely as it should be. A very small appropriation, in addition to the sums already appropriated, will be sufficient to repair and furnish the house. There remains in the treasury, specifically appropriated to this purpose, the sum of twelve hundred dollars, which has not yet been used, which, together with the sum of four hundred dollars, will be sufficient to repair and furnish the house.

By order,

L. C. GASSAWAY, clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Tabbs delivers the bill, entitled, An act providing for the payment of the costs which accrued upon the trial of Thomas Burk, in Washington county, at March term, one thousand eight hundred and nine; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion by Mr. Randall, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and straighten a road in Baltimore county, and to repeal the acts therein mentioned. ORDERED, That Mr. Randall, Mr. Harryman and Mr. M. Brown, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The bill to extend Aisquith-street, in the city of Baltimore, was read the second time, and, on motion by Mr. Randall, the question was put, That the word "appointend" be stricken out for the purpose of inserting the word "appointed?" Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, Shall the said bill pass with the proposed amendment? Resolved in the affirmative.