

ORDERED, That the clerk of the general court be requested to lay before this house the bill passed last session of the general assembly, 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.

The clerk of the general court delivers the bill required by said order.

The house, according to the order of the day, proceeded to the second reading of the bill, entitled, 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, and after sometime being spent in debating the same,

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

F R I D A Y, November 29, 1805.

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

Mr. Bruce, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of John B. Beall, of Allegany county, having duly considered the same, are of opinion the petitioner is entitled to the relief prayed for, and submit to the consideration of the house the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That John Brook Beall, late sheriff of Allegany county, be and he is hereby released from the payment of the nine per cent. additional interest imposed on him and arising on a balance of sixty-nine pounds ten shillings, late a debt due to this state from him as former sheriff of said county.

By order,

N. MARTIN, clk.

Which was read.

A petition from John Stevenson, of Cæcil county, praying an act of insolvency, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Andrew Hamilton, of Prince-George's county, the bill, entitled, 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, and the bill, entitled, 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, were read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Somerset county, praying a law may pass to authorise the levy court of said county to levy a sum of money to complete a road, to begin at the corner of John Killum's fence, and running through the lands of Isaac Read and William Wilson, until it intersects the county road at the corner of Samuel Read's fence, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Bayly, Mr. Hyland and Mr. Jackson, to consider and report thereon.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Amelia Chance, of Caroline county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The house resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled, 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, and, after sometime being spent in debating the same, the order of the day for investing money in the Farmers Bank of Maryland was postponed until to-morrow.

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

S A T U R D A Y, November 30, 1805.

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

A petition from James Cowan, of Talbot county, praying an act of insolvency, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

A petition from Charles F. Brodhag, of Allegany county, praying that the additional nine per cent. paid by him may be refunded, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Bruce, Mr. Cresap and Mr. Rizer, to consider and report thereon.

The house resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled, 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.

The question was then put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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Holland,	Ennalls,	Blake,	Duer,	Cockey,	Street,	Ellicott,	Yates,
R. Mackall,	Smoot,	Sudler,	Bishop,	Kuhn,	Holbrook,	Bruce,	Bruce,
B. Mackall,	Cox,	Nicholson,	Prideaux,	Montgomery,	Bayard,	Bowles,	Tomlinson,
Somerville,	Henderson,	Gleaves,	Hawkins,	Forwood,	Turpin,	Rizer,	Rizer,
Lemmon,	Moffit,	Sturgis,	Waters,	Ayres,	Jump,	Ringgold,	Cresap.
Harryman,	Porter,						