

	Brought over,	5,841 16 3/4
<i>To this Balance add the probable amount of Receipts for the ensuing year.</i>		
For dividends of interest and reimbursement of principal on the 6 per cent. and deferred stock, and interest on the 3 per cent. stock, to the 1st of October, 1804,	14,218 17 0	
For interest on the loan to the city of Washington,	4,500 0 0	
For interest on the loan to the proprietors of the Susquehanna canal,	627 0 0	
For interest on the loan to the trustees of Charlotte-Hall school,	60 0 0	
For interest on the loan to individuals,	72 0 0	
For interest and principal on the installed and uninstalled debt,	4,000 0 0	
For taxes on law proceedings, fines, forfeitures and amerciaments, marriage, ordinary, retailers, hawkers and pedlers licences,	11,500 0 0	
For compositions on escheats and vacant land,	2,000 0 0	
For taxes and seals in the land and chancery offices,	800 0 0	
For dividends on stock in the Patowmack company at 3 per cent.	1,355 0 0	
For dividends on stock in the bank of Baltimore at 10 per cent.	2,475 0 0	
	41,607 17 0	
	£. 47,449 13 3/4	

For a loan of 200,000 dollars made to the city of Washington in conformity to an act of congress, entitled, "An act authorizing a loan for the use of the city of Washington, in the district of Columbia," &c. passed on the 6th of May, 1796, reimbursable after the year 1803, by instalments, not exceeding one fifth of the whole sum borrowed in any one year, 40,000 dollars. As it is not ascertained whether congress have or will make provision for the payment of this instalment during the ensuing year, the amount is not carried to account.

The probable Annual Demand on the Treasury.

The governor's salary,	1,000 0 0
Five counsellors,	1,000 0 0
Three judges of the general court,	2,250 0 0
Five judges of the court of appeals,	1,875 0 0
Five district judges,	2,475 0 0
Chancellor,	1,275 0 0
Treasurer of the western shore,	750 0 0
Treasurer of the eastern shore,	168 15 0
Trustee,	150 0 0
Auditor,	300 0 0
Printer,	450 0 0
Clerk to the council,	300 0 0
Clerk to the house of delegates,	112 10 0
Clerk to the senate,	56 5 0
Messenger to the council,	118 15 0
Armourer western shore,	192 0 0
Armourer eastern shore,	30 0 0
Half pay list,	1,245 7 6
Contingent expences of government,	500 0 0
Donation to the colleges,	2,500 0 0
Donation to the academies and schools in the different counties,	1,575 0 0
Pay to the jurors of the western and eastern shore general courts,	3,500 0 0
Baltimore night watch,	1,350 0 0
Indian annuities,	138 15 0
Judge of the land-office eastern shore,	150 0 0
Register of the land-office eastern shore,	7 10 0
Register of the land-office western shore,	11 5 0
	23,481 2 6
	11,250 0 0
	34,731 2 6

Journal of accounts for the session of 1804,

Subject to future appropriations

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Treasury-office, Annapolis, November 1st, 1803.

THOs. HARWOOD, Treas. West. Shore.

Legislature of Maryland.

SKETCH OF PROCEEDINGS.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

THURSDAY, Nov. 10, 1803.

MR. James Hopewell, Mr. Joseph Thompson, Mr. Thomas Roberts, Mr. William Sudler, Mr. Stephen Lowrey, Mr. Peter Rich, Mr. Thomas B. Turpin, Mr. James Pearce, Mr. Thomas Davis and Mr. Stephen Purnell, appeared in the house. Mr. Ridgely had leave of absence.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Cecil county was read and referred.

The speaker laid before the house an account of fees received by the examiner-general of the eastern shore; which was read and referred.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Calvert county was read and referred.

Leave given to bring in a bill to settle and ascertain the salary of members of the council.

A petition from Elizabeth Grier, of Prince-George's county, was read and referred.

Mr. Montgomery brings in a bill to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council; which was read.

Petitions from Winkles B. Goldthwait and George Lee, of the city of Baltimore, for acts of insolvency, petitions from sundry inhabitants of Harford county, from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, and from John M'Comas, of Harford county, were severally read and referred.

A committee was appointed, by ballot, to bring in a bill to regulate and discipline the militia.

A message was received from the senate, notifying that they had formed a house, were ready to proceed to business, and mentioning their hours of sitting.

A message was sent to the senate, informing them that the house had met, that they were also ready to proceed to business, and notifying their time of sitting.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from the treasurer of the eastern shore, enclosing sundry papers; which was read and referred.

A message was sent to the senate, notifying the appointment of a committee to examine engrossed bills.

FRIDAY, Nov. 11, 1803.

A letter was received from the speaker, stating, that from indisposition he was unable to attend, and

the house proceeded to ballot for a speaker *pro tem.* when Stephen Lowrey, Esquire, was elected.

The clerk of the senate delivers a letter from the council, communicating an account of their proceedings since the last general assembly; a letter from Rufus King, Esquire, respecting the bank stock of this state in the bank of England; a letter from the president of the United States, requesting a return of the militia of this state; a letter from the secretary at war, respecting arms, &c. a letter from the governor of Pennsylvania, relative to the appointment of commissioners on the Susquehanna; and a letter from the council, enclosing the governor's letter of resignation; which were read.

So much of the foregoing communications and documents as relate to the bank stock, was referred to Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Van-Horn, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Muir, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Wilson and Mr. Sudler.

Mr. Frazier delivers a report from the committee of claims; which was read.

Such part of the communications from the executive as relate to the letter from the governor of Pennsylvania, was referred to Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Van-Horn, Mr. Dickson, Mr. Alexander, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Ireland and Mr. Harwood.

Resolved, That Ninian Pinkney, Esquire, be requested to lay before this house the journals of the council for the present year.

The communications from the president of the United States and the secretary at war, were referred to the committee appointed to report a bill to regulate and discipline the militia.

Mr. Shriver delivers a bill for the relief of Thomas Parvin, an insolvent debtor of Frederick county; which was read.

SATURDAY, Nov. 12, 1803.

A petition from Frederick Donnison, of Allegany county, and petitions from sundry inhabitants of East Nottingham, in Cecil county, were severally read and referred.

Ninian Pinkney, Esquire, delivers the journals of the council for the present year.

Mr. Goldborough appeared, and took his seat.

On motion, the question was put on the following:

Whereas it has been suggested by a member of the late council, and by the clerk thereof, that there is an entry on the journals of the council, called for by the house, relative to negotiations pending abroad, which the interests of the state require should not be promulgated, on motion, Ordered, that the lobby and

gallery be cleared; that secrecy, with respect to this entry, be enjoined on the members of this house, and upon the officers thereof.

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs. Ireland, Angier, Hatcheson, Harwood, Hall, Dorsey, Holland, Carcaud, Lemmon, Brown, Meluy, Rose, Miller, Alexander, Wood, Van-Horn, Muir, Thompson, Roberts, Sudler, Williams, Hawkins, Shriver, Clarke, Montgomery, Forwood, E. Davis, Lytle, Rich, Turpin, Pearce, Dickson, Dugan, Kerfluer, Zeller, Smith, Yates, 37.

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs. R. Neale, W. Neale, Hopewell, Grahame, Chapman, M'Pherson, Hyland, Frazier, Calvert, Shaaff, Sturges, Wilson, Purnell, Young, Swearingen, T. Davis, Veach, Linticum, Bayard, Tomlinson, Cresap, Simkins, 22.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion, the question was put on the following:

Ordered, That secrecy be and is hereby enjoined upon the members of this house, and the officers thereof, respecting an entry made upon the journals of the executive called for by this house, on the subject of instructions of the date of the 5th of August last, from the executive to William Pinkney Esq; relative to the bank stock claimed by this state in the bank of England, pending the negotiation for the same.

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs. Ireland, Angier, Hatcheson, Harwood, Hall, Dorsey, Holland, Carcaud, Lemmon, Brown, Meluy, Rose, Miller, Alexander, Wood, Van-Horn, Muir, Thompson, Roberts, Sudler, Williams, Hawkins, Shriver, Clarke, Montgomery, Forwood, E. Davis, Lytle, Rich, Turpin, Pearce, Dickson, Dugan, Kerfluer, Zeller, Smith, Yates, 37.

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs. R. Neale, W. Neale, Hopewell, Grahame, Chapman, M'Pherson, Hyland, Goldborough, Frazier, Calvert, Shaaff, Sturges, Wilson, Purnell, Young, Swearingen, T. Davis, Veach, Linticum, Bayard, Tomlinson, Cresap, Simkins, 23.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

MONDAY, Nov. 14, 1803.

Mr. Pearce had leave of absence. Mr. Philip Stuart, Mr. Luke Barber, Mr. Henry J. Carroll, Mr. Daniel Sheredine, Mr. John Thomas, Mr. Henry Kemp, Mr. Edward Lloyd and Mr. Thomas S. Denny, appeared and took their seats. Mr. Ridgely appeared in the house.

The bill to ascertain the salary of the members of the council, and the bill for the relief of Thomas Parvin, were severally read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Lemmon delivers a bill authorizing a lottery to raise a sum of money for finishing a house of public worship in Baltimore county; which was read.

A petition from Robert Polk, of Dorchester county, was read and referred.

A message was sent to the senate, proposing to proceed to the election of a governor at 12 o'clock this day, nominating the honourable Robert Bowie and appointing members to examine the ballots.

Petitions from Thomas Baily, Jonas Yoder, Abraham Kauffman, Elihu Underwood, Nicholas Walter and George Balfest, of the city of Baltimore, and William Crawford, of Caroline county, praying acts of insolvency, were preferred and read.

Petitions from William Cropper, and others, and Kettmah Milbourn, of Worcester county, were severally read and referred.

Mr. Miller delivers a bill authorizing a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of finishing a house of worship in Cecil county; which was read.

Mr. Clarke, from the committee of elections, delivers a report; which was read and concurred with.

Petitions from sundry inhabitants of Greensborough, in Caroline county, Anne Mills, and sundry inhabitants of Montgomery county, were read and referred.

A message was received from the senate, agreeing to proceed to the election of a governor, and appointing members of that house to join in the examination of the ballots; which was read.

The house having qualified, proceeded to ballot for a governor, and, on examining the ballots, it appeared that the honourable Robert Bowie had a majority of votes. Whereupon

Resolved, That the honourable Robert Bowie be, and he is hereby declared to be, governor of the state of Maryland.

A message was sent to the senate, proposing that a joint letter be written by the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of delegates, to Robert Bowie, Esquire, to be forwarded immediately by express, notifying his election, and requesting his attendance to be qualified.

A petition from Samuel Nicholls, of Talbot county, for an act of insolvency, was read and referred.

TUESDAY, Nov. 15, 1803.

Petitions from sundry inhabitants of Emmitsburg, in Frederick county, from Temperance Ferguson, of Kent county, from sundry inhabitants of Washington county, from sundry inhabitants of Frederick county, from Catherine Rench, and others, of Washington county, from the trustees of the poor of Queen-Anne's county, and from sundry inhabitants of Bridge-town, in Kent county, were read and referred.