

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, D E C E M B E R 20, 1804.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY
ROBERT BOWIE,
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the general assembly of Maryland, did, by an act passed at November session, seventeen hundred and ninety, entitled, An act directing the time, places and manner, of holding elections for representatives of this state, in the congress of the United States, and for the regulations of the said elections; and also to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned—direct that the governor and council, after having received the returns, papers and instruments, containing the number of votes for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes for each and every candidate and person chosen as representative—We, in pursuance of the directions of the said act, do, by this our proclamation, declare, that JOHN CAMPBELL, Esquire, was elected for the first district; LEONARD COVINGTON, Esquire, was elected for the second district; PATRICK MAGRUDER, Esquire, was elected for the third district; ROGER NELSON, Esquire, was elected for the fourth district; NICHOLAS RUXTON MOORE and WILLIAM MAC CREERY, Esquires, were elected for the fifth district; JOHN ARCHER, Esquire, was elected for the sixth district; JOSEPH HOPPER NICHOLSON, Esquire, was elected for the seventh district; and CHARLES GOLDSBOROUGH, Esquire, was elected for the eighth district.

Given in council, at the city of Annapolis, under the seal of the state of Maryland, this 28th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four.

ROBERT BOWIE.

By the governor and council,
NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk
of the council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation be published twice in each week, for the space of three weeks successively, in the American, Telegraphic and Federal Gazette, at Baltimore; the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the National Intelligencer; Mr. Smith's paper at Easton; the Republican Advocate, at Frederick-town; and Mr. Grieves's paper at Hagar's-town.

By order, NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.
December 1, 1804. 3X

NOTICE.

THE sale of the negroes, part of the personal estate of the late NATHAN SMITH, advertised to be sold on Thursday the twenty-ninth of November is postponed to Monday the thirty-first of December, eighteen hundred and four, on which day the subscriber will positively sell, at public sale, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six months, a parcel of valuable negroes. The sale to commence precisely at ten o'clock, A. M. at the late dwelling of the said Smith, in Calvert county.

THEODORE HODGKIN, Administrator.
December 1, 1804. 3X

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county letters of administration, de bonis non, on the personal estate of ROCK CHEW, late of said county, deceased. He requests all persons who have claims to produce them, legally authenticated, on or before the first day of the next, or they will be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Those persons indebted are desired to make payment. All persons are warned against holding or harbouring property belonging to the estate, under pain of the utmost rigour of the law.

EDWARD HALL.
West river, December 1, 1804. 3

NOTICE.

THE subscriber having letters of administration on the personal estate of FRANCIS LINTHICUM, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, requests all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment to the subscriber, and all persons bringing claims to bring them in, legally authenticated.

THOMAS LINTHICUM, Administrator.
December 4, 1804. 3X

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber has obtained letters of administration on the personal estate of JOSEPH RACE, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are requested to bring them in, properly authenticated, for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to the subscriber. Given under my hand, this 4th day of the 12th month, called December, 1804.

THOMAS NORRIS, of THOMAS. 3X

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ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, December 20, 1804.

Legislature of Maryland.

SKETCH OF PROCEEDINGS.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

THURSDAY, December 13, 1804.

THE house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Ennals has leave of absence.

Mr. Lowrey delivers a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act for erecting buildings for the use of the poor of Queen-Anne's county, and for other purposes; which was read.

The additional supplement to the act to improve and repair the streets in Frederick-town, in Frederick county, and for other purposes therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill for the relief of John Cushman, junior, the bill authorising Lawrence Brengle, collector of Frederick county, to complete his collection, and the bill to incorporate the stockholders in the Union Bank of Maryland, were sent to the senate.

The bill to lay out and open several roads in Queen-Anne's county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Petitions from Elizabeth Keetch Cartwright, of Saint-Mary's county, Hambleton Graham, of the city of Baltimore, and James Maydwell, of Alexander, and Daniel Siler, of Baltimore county, praying acts of insolvency, were read and referred.

Leave given to bring in a bill to lay out and open a road in Anne-Arundel county.

The report on the petition of Rebecca Stuart, was read the second time and the resolution therein contained assented to.

Leave given to withdraw the resolutions respecting the compensation to William Pinkney for the recovery of the bank stock.

The following resolutions being propounded to the house were read, (in substance similar to those withdrawn.)

Ordered, That the said resolutions have a second reading to-morrow.

Mr. Chapman, from the committee on the report and memorial of the president and trustees of Charlotte Hall school, delivers a report; which was read.

The clerk of the senate delivers the additional supplement to the act respecting the settlers on the reserved lands westward of Fort Cumberland, endorsed, "will not pass;" the resolution in favour of John Norris, endorsed, "assented to with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read; the resolution in favour of Henry Gassaway, endorsed, "assented to;" and a bill, entitled, An act to straighten and amend the post-road leading from Church-Hill to Centreville, in Queen-Anne's county, endorsed, "will pass;" which was read.

The house took into consideration the bill to incorporate companies to make several turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and after proposing a number of amendments thereto, adjourned until to-morrow morning.

FRIDAY, December 14, 1804.

THE house met. Present as on yesterday, except Mr. Ennals. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Handy and Mr. Thomas appeared in the house.

Mr. Shaaff, from the committee on the petition of Samuel Maynard, delivers a report, in his favour; which was read.

Petitions from sundry inhabitants of Queen-Anne's county, Sarah Boswell, of Baltimore county, and Joseph Booth, of Saint Mary's county, were severally read and referred.

Mr. Ringgold delivers a bill, entitled, An act to authorise a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of erecting a market house in the town of William's Port, in Washington county; which was read.

Mr. Ellicott delivers a bill, entitled, An act for introducing a copious supply of wholesome water into the city of Baltimore; which was read.

Petitions from sundry inhabitants of Queen-Anne's county, Thomas C. Earle, and others, of Queen-Anne's county, and Frederick Green, of the city of Annapolis, were severally read and referred.

A petition from John B. Sayre, of the city of Baltimore, praying an act of insolvency, was read and referred.

The house according to order, took into consideration the resolutions respecting the compensation to be made to William Pinkney, and the first resolution was unanimously assented to.

The question was then put, That the blank in the second resolution be filled with the words "fifteen thousand dollars?" Determined in the negative, yeas 30, nays 36.

The question was then put, That the said blank be filled with "fourteen thousand dollars?" Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the said blank be filled with "thirteen thousand dollars?" Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the said blank be filled with "twelve thousand dollars?" Resolved in the affirmative, yeas 47, nays 21.

The resolutions being read throughout, the question was put, That the house assent thereto? Resolved in the affirmative.

The house resumed the consideration of the bill to incorporate companies to make several turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and after proposing several amendments thereto, adjourned until to-morrow morning.

SATURDAY, December 15, 1804.

THE house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Ayres appeared in the house.

Petitions from Samuel Goodwin, Benjamin Thomas and Henry Brown, of the city of Baltimore, praying acts of insolvency, were read and referred.

Mr. Bruce, from the committee, on the petition of Benjamin Finkle, delivers a report, in his favour, which was read.

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

The bill to open and lay out a road through Tuckahoe neck, in Caroline county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to continue the act relative to the administration of justice in this state, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, and the supplement to the act for erecting buildings for the use of the poor of Queen-Anne's county, severally endorsed, "will pass;" which were ordered to be engrossed; and the supplement to the act to establish and regulate a market at Bridge-town, in Kent county, and for other purposes, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read.

The supplement to the act for the valuation of real and personal property within this state, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Miller delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of James Sim, of Cecil county; which was read.

Mr. Contee delivers a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of Joseph Boyd, of Prince-George's county, and Elizabeth his wife; which was read.

Leave given to bring in a bill authorising a lottery to open a road from Liberty-town, in Frederick county, through New-Market to Hyatt's-town, in Montgomery county.

A memorial from John Gassaway, of the city of Annapolis, and a petition from sundry inhabitants of Allegany county, were read and referred.

The resolutions respecting the compensation to William Pinkney were sent to the senate.

The house resumed the consideration of the bill to incorporate companies to make several turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and after sometime spent therein, the further consideration thereof was postponed.

Ordered, That the bill, 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, have a second reading on Friday next.

The house adjourns till Monday morning.

MONDAY, December 17, 1804.

THE house met. Present as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read. Mr. Tillotson has leave of absence for a few days.

Petitions from Joseph Hall, of Montgomery county, and Thomas Vaughan, of Baltimore county, praying acts of insolvency, were read and referred.

Leave given to bring in a bill for the destruction of crows in Caroline county, for a bill to alter the time of the meeting of the general assembly, and for other purposes, and a bill to establish an uniform mode for the relief of insolvent debtors.

A petition from the field officers of several regiments, and a petition from Henry Joseph Stier, late of Prince-George's county, were read and referred.

Mr. J. Bayly, from the committee to whom was recommended the report on the petition of Isaac Williams, delivers a report; which was read.

A petition from Robert Morgau, of Harford county, was read and referred.

Mr. Lloyd delivers a bill, entitled, An act to pre-