

Annapolis, and, on motion of Mr. Perry, Leave given to bring in a bill to reduce the per diem of the judges and clerks of elections in Allegany county.

Mr. Bland, delivers a petition from John Carruthers, of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency; which was read and referred.

Mr. Bland delivers a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the stockholders of the Marine Bank of Baltimore, and Mr. Martin delivers a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of William Bartleson and Deborah Bartleson; which were read.

The further supplement to the act to confirm and make public a certain road therein mentioned, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Streett delivers a favourable report on the petition of Aquila Jones, and Mr. Groome delivers a favourable report on the petition of Henry Mitchell; which were read.

On motion of Mr. Moffitt, Leave given to bring in a bill to change the place of holding the election in the third election district of Cecil county, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bowles delivers a petition from John Culhwa, of Washington county, praying that a certain deed may be confirmed; which was read and referred.

Mr. Bland delivers a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the stockholders of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, Mr. Downey delivers a bill, entitled, An act to establish the line between Frederick and Washington counties, and Mr. Perry delivers a bill, entitled, An act to reduce the per diem of the judges and clerks of elections in Allegany county; which were read.

On motion of Mr. Bland, Leave given to bring in a bill to repeal the act to incorporate the stockholders in the Union Bank of Maryland.

Mr. Bland delivers a petition from Margaret Spicer, of the city of Baltimore, praying a divorce, and Mr. Jackson delivers a petition from Daniel Ballard, late sheriff of Somerset county, praying further time to complete his collection; which were read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Bowie, Ordered, That the report of the committee appointed to bring in a bill to elect the levy court of the several counties in this state by the people, have a second reading on the 20th inst.

Mr. Jackson delivers a bill, entitled, An act authorizing Daniel Ballard, late sheriff of Somerset county, to complete his collection; which was read.

The bill for the benefit of the infant children of James Willson Perry, of Montgomery county, deceased, was read the second time and passed.

The report on the petition of Edward Wingate was read the second time, and the resolution therein assented to.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, the following order was read.

Ordered, That the committee of grievances and courts of justice, before they proceed to the examination of testimony under the resolutions recommending the removal of Zebulon Hollingsworth and Thomas Jones, Esquires, associate judges of the sixth judicial district, cause notice to be given to the said judges of the time and place of their meeting, and that they have the liberty to appear, either in person or by counsel, & cross examine the testimony exhibited against them, and to produce evidence in vindication of themselves from the charges contained in the said resolutions; and that the committee reduce to writing all the testimony offered.

The bill to release the right of the state to a part of a tract of land therein mentioned, was read the second time and passed. The house adjourns till to-morrow morning.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1810.

The house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Bland delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of John Carruthers, of the city of Baltimore, an insolvent debtor; which was read.

The bill for the support of William Clarke and his helpless family, of Worcester county, was read the second time and passed.

On motion of Mr. Belt, Leave given to bring in a bill to confirm an act passed at November session, 1809, entitled, An act to alter and abolish all that part of the constitution which permits certain citizens of Annapolis to vote for delegates for Anne-Arundel county.

Mr. Archer delivers a petition from John Norris, of Harford county, praying compensation for damages done by a road running through his land; which was read and referred.

Mr. Bowles delivers a bill, entitled, An act to give validity and operation to the deed of conveyance therein mentioned; which was read.

Mr. Bland delivers a petition from William Austin, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be released from confinement, Mr. Gaither delivers a petition from Henry Leeke, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief and Mr. Randall delivers a petition from Philemon

Towson and Sebastian Grass, praying they may be authorized to sell or lease a house & lots in the city of Baltimore; which were read and referred.

Mr. Stevens delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the valuation of real and personal property within this state; which was read.

The bill to authorize Hannah A. Hayes, guardian of the heirs at law of Stephen Hayes, deceased, to convey certain lands therein mentioned, lying in Cecil county, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Moffitt delivers a petition from James Campbell, of Cecil county, praying that he and his family may be permitted to live in the gaol of said county; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for the benefit of the people in Kent county called Quakers, was read the second time and passed.

The report in favour of Frederick Green was read the second time and the resolution therein assented to.

The house adjourns till Monday morning.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1810.

THE house met. Present as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read. Mr. Elijah Davis, a delegate for Harford county, appeared, qualified, and took his seat.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from the treasurer of the eastern shore, with enclosures; which was read.

Mr. Cockey delivers a petition from John Logsdon, and others, of Frederick county, praying to be compensated for damages sustained by a certain turnpike road running through their lands, Mr. Mackubin delivers a petition from Sarah Rimmer of the city of Annapolis, praying a sum of money may be levied on Anne-Arundel county for her support, Mr. Bowles delivers a petition from Monday Bayly, a revolutionary officer,

praying commutation or half pay, and Mr. Eccleston delivers a petition from Thomas Eonnals, late sheriff and collector of Washington county, praying further time to complete his collection; which were read and referred.

The bill for the relief of Oliver R. Howell, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Jackson delivers a report of the trustees of Washington academy; which was read.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following message:

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

The senate having a sufficient number of members to form a house, are ready to proceed to the business of the session, & propose to go into the choice of a governor immediately, and have appointed Stephen Lowrey and Robert Bowie, Esquires, to join such gentlemen as may be appointed by your house in the examination of the ballots. Edward Lloyd, Esquire, is put in nomination by the senate.

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Marriott, the following message was sent to the senate,

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*

Your message we have received. We are ready to proceed to the choice of a governor immediately, and have appointed Mr. Marriott and Mr. Herbert to join the members named by your house for the examination of the ballots. No other person is put in nomination by this house than the gentleman named in your message.

The house having qualified, proceeded to the choice of a governor, and upon examining the ballots it appeared, that Edward Lloyd, Esquire, was elected, and accordingly declared governor of the state of Maryland.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following message:

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

We are desirous of appointing a council to the governor, and therefore propose to go in to the election this day at 12 o'clock. Messrs. Reverdy Ghiselin, James Butcher, John Stephen, Thomas W. Hall and George E. Mitchell, are put in nomination by this house. We have appointed Mr. Lloyd Dorsey and Mr. Shriver, in conjunction with such gentlemen as you may appoint, to examine the ballots.

Which was read.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from the clerk of Anne-Arundel county court, relative to the attendance of the judges thereof; which was read and referred.

The several bills and resolutions passed and assented to were sent to the senate.

On motion of Mr. Groome, the following message was sent to the senate,

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*

The honourable Edward Lloyd, Esquire, having been elected governor of the state of Maryland, we have appointed Mr. Groome and Mr. Gardiner, jointly with such gentlemen as shall be named by your house, to wait upon the governor, and request his attendance in the senate room to qualify according to the constitution and form of government.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council for the ensuing year, endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Also the following message,