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Legislature of Maryland.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1810.

THE house met. Present as on Saturday.

The proceedings of Saturday were read.

The bill to lay out and open the road

mentioned in Harford county, the

bill to open and make public an alley in

the town of Snow Hill, the bill for the relief

of Abraham Fuller, the bill to lay out a

road in Baltimore county, and the resolution

in favour of Frederick Green, were sent to

the senate.

Mr. Nabb and Mr. Bayly appeared in the

house.

On motion of Mr. M'Pherson, Leave given

to bring in a bill altering the mode of

cutting out joint obligations.

Mr. Bland delivers a petition from the

managers of the lottery to erect a female

academy in the city of Baltimore, praying

that the managers may be appointed, Mr. Marri-

ott delivers a petition from Margaret and

James Hammond, praying they may be au-

thorized to build a wharf at their ferry, and

Mr. Warfield delivers a petition from Robert

Smith, of Anne-Arundel county, praying

that he be supported out of the poor's house;

which were read and referred.

Mr. Bland delivers an unfavourable report

on the petition of Mary Quinlan; which was

read and concurred with.

Mr. Bland delivers a bill, entitled, An act

for the relief of Michael Walker, of the city

of Baltimore, and Mr. Marriott delivers a

bill, entitled, An act to authorize the levy

of a sum of money for the purpose therein

mentioned; which were read.

The bill for founding an academy in Har-

ford-town, was read the second time, passed,

and sent to the senate.

On motion of Mr. Bowles, the following

resolution was read.

Resolved, That so soon as the trustees of

the Hagar's-town academy shall have complet-

ed the buildings for the reception of stu-

dents; and the same being certified, under

the seal of the corporation thereof, to the trea-

surer of the western shore, then in that case

he shall be the duty of said treasurer, and he

is hereby authorized and empowered, to pay

annually to the said trustees, or their order,

out of any unappropriated money in the trea-

sury, — dollars, as a donation to said acad-

emy.

The bill for the benefit of Robert Hurd,

was read the second time, passed, and sent

to the senate.

On motion of Mr. Marriott, Ordered, That

the bill relative to the divisional line between

Anne-Arundel and Calvert counties, have a

second reading on the 15th inst.

Mr. Bland delivers a petition from Mar-

ret Crain, of the city of Baltimore, pray-

ing for a divorce; which was read and referred.

Mr. Street delivers an unfavourable re-

port on the petition of sundry inhabitants of

Harford county, praying for the revision of

certain roads; which was twice read and

referred with.

The speaker laid before the house a letter

from Zebulon Hollingsworth and Robert G.

Harper, stating that indisposition prevented

their attendance this day.

Mr. Nabb delivers a petition from the con-

table of Talbot county, praying that a law

may be passed explanatory of their fees; which

was read and referred.

On motion of Mr. Boyle, Ordered, That

the bill to prevent the increase of banking

companies, have a second reading on the 19th

inst.

On motion of Mr. Bowie the following re-

solution was read.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the west-

ern or eastern shores, as the case may be, pay

the sum of — dollars, as a compensation

for their trouble, to such of the clerks of the

county courts, and the clerks of the courts of

appeals, as have complied with a resolution

of the last session, requiring them to make

out and return to this house a statement of

the number of suits instituted in, and the

number disposed of by, the said courts re-

spectively, within each year for three years

previously, within each year for three years

prior to the first day of Sept. 1810.

Mr. Forwood delivers a bill, entitled, An

act for the benefit of doctor James Archer,

of Claiborne county, in the territory of Mis-

sissippi; which was read.

The bill annulling the marriage of Thomas

Taylor and Phoebe his wife, was read the se-

cond time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for

the relief of John Carruthers, endorsed, "will

pass with the proposed amendment;" which

amendment was agreed to, and the bill or-

dered to be engrossed. The bill to widen

and alter the direction of Ten Feet lane in

the city of Baltimore, endorsed, "will pass."

Ordered to be engrossed. And the resolution

relative to settling the western limits be-

tween Maryland and Virginia, endorsed,

"assented to with the proposed amendments;"

which amendments were agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Bland, Ordered, That

the bill to authorize the filling up and ex-

tending of certain lots on the south side of

the basin in the city of Baltimore, be recom-

mended for amendment.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, Ordered, That

before any witness shall be examined on the

addresses recommending the removal of Tho-

mas Jones and Zebulon Hollingsworth, Es-

quires, as judges of the sixth judicial district

of Maryland, he shall take the following

oath, or affirmation, as the case may be: I

A. B. do solemnly swear or affirm, that the

evidence which I shall give to this house re-

lating to the addresses recommending the re-

moval of Zebulon Hollingsworth and Tho-

mas Jones, Esquires, shall be the truth, the

whole truth, and nothing but the truth; so

help me God.

The house, according to order, proceeded

to the second reading of the report relative

to the removal of judge Jones, and, on moti-

on of Mr. Dorsey, the question was put,

That the words "two thirds of all the mem-

bers of each house having concurred in this

address," be inserted after the words "to the

governor of the state of Maryland?" Re-

solved in the affirmative.

After examining testimony at the bar of

the house,

The house adjourned till to-morrow morning.

TUESDAY, DEC. 11, 1810.

THE house met. Present the same mem-

bers as on yesterday. The proceedings of

yesterday were read.

Mr. Conneys delivers a favourable report

on the petition of John Moore; which was

read.

Mr. Perry delivers a petition from sundry

inhabitants of Allegany county, praying the

aid of the legislature to rebuild the bridge across

Will's creek, Mr. C. Hall, delivers a peti-

tion from Harriet G. Wynkoop, praying she

may be authorized to remove a negro boy

from Delaware to Maryland, and Mr. Han-

dy delivers a petition from William Peacock,

of Worcester county, praying a sum of mo-

ney may be levied on said county for his sup-

port; which were read and referred.

Mr. Warfield delivers a favourable report

on the petition of Martha Macklefish; which

was read.

Mr. Brooke delivers a bill, entitled, An

act to provide for the building a bridge over

Big Pipe creek, in Frederick county, and

Mr. Bland delivers a bill, entitled, An act

to authorize the filling up and extending of

certain lots on the south side of the basin in

the city of Baltimore; which were read.

Mr. Randall delivers a petition from Sarah

Carroll, and a memorial from Elijah Bosley,

of Baltimore county, counter to the report

of the commissioners appointed to lay out a

road from Thomas Hope's to intersect the road

leading from Slade's tavern to Cromwell's

bridge, and Mr. Warfield delivers a petition

from Young Wilkinson of Anne-Arundel

county, a revolutionary officer, praying as-

sistance; which were read.

Mr. Randall delivers a bill, entitled, An

act to lay out and make public a road in Bal-

timore county, and Mr. Bland delivers a bill,

entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled,

An act authorizing a lottery for raising a sum

of money for the purpose of erecting a build-

ing to be called The Baltimore Female Aca-

dem; which were read.

The bill for the benefit of doctor James

Archer, was read the second time, passed, &

sent to the senate.

On motion of Mr. Herbert, Leave given

to bring in a bill for the benefit of the infant

children of James Wilson Perry, of Mont-

gomery county, deceased.

Mr. Quinton delivers a petition from Het-

ty W. Round and Charlotte H. Round, of

Somerset county, praying they may be au-

thorized to sell the real estate devolved to them

by their father; which was read and referred.

Mr. Marriott delivers a bill, entitled, An

act to enable Margaret Hammond and Har-

riet Hammond, of the city of Baltimore, to

build a wharf at the place called Hammond's

Ferry; which was read.

Mr. Davis delivers a petition from sundry

inhabitants of Harford county, praying it

may be unlawful for fishermen to leave their

spoiled fish on the shore; which was read &

referred.

On motion of Mr. Boyle, the following

message was sent to the senate.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

This being the day appointed for proceed-

ing to the election of the directors in the

Banks hereafter named, we propose, with

the concurrence of the Senate, to proceed to

the election immediately. The following per-

sons have been put in nomination by this

house; for the Mechanics Bank of Balti-

more, Tobias E. Stansbury, Peter Little and

George A. Hughes; for the Farmers Bank

of Maryland at Annapolis, Nicholas Brewer

and William Kilty; for the Branch Bank at

Easton, Jacob Gibson and David Kerr, jun-

ior, and for the Hagar's-town Bank, Henry

Lewis.

The bill to repeal part of an act of assem-

bly therein mentioned, was read the second

time and passed.

Mr. Archer delivers a bill, entitled, An

act annulling the marriage of James Norris

Magnets and Jane his wife, of Harford

county; which was read.

On motion of Mr. Jackson, Leave given

to bring in a bill to repeal the 21st section of

an act, entitled, An act for the relief of

sundry insolvent debtors, passed November

session, 1805.

The bill for the relief of John S. Moffitt,

was read the second time, passed, and sent to

the senate.

Mr. Bowie delivers a petition from Rinal-

do Johnson, of Prince-George's county, pray-

ing he may receive interest on the principal

sum directed to be paid him by a resolution of

1808, and Mr. Jump delivers a petition from

sundry inhabitants of Caroline county, pray-

ing for a supplement to the act to lay out a

public road from James Pearce's in Caroline

county to Bullock-town; which were read.

On motion of Mr. Conneys, Ordered,

That the report in favour of John Moore

have a second reading on the 14th inst.,

and that capt. John Moore be heard at the

bar of this house in person or by counsel on

Friday the 14th inst.

Mr. Forwood delivers a petition from sun-

dry inhabitants of Harford county, praying

for a review of a certain road, & Mr. Jump

delivers a petition from the trustees of Hills-

borough school, in Caroline county, pray-

ing that a penalty may be inflicted on any per-

son who shall delude or entice any of the schol-

ars from said school; which were read and re-

ferred.

On motion of Mr. T. Hall, the following

order was read and assented to.

Whereas it is alleged to this general as-

sembly, that Zebulon Hollingsworth, Esq.,

has been prevented by indisposition from at-

tending at the bar of this house on the day

appointed for the second reading of the re-

port concerning said Zebulon Hollingsworth,

Esquire; therefore, Ordered, That the re-

port of the committee of grievances, respect-

ing Zebulon Hollingsworth, Esquire, be

made the order of the day on the 20th inst.

Mr. Handy delivers a bill, entitled, An

act authorizing the levy court of Worcester

county to levy a sum of money for the sup-

port of William Peacock, of Worcester

county; which was read.

The house resumed the consideration of

the report relative to the removal of judge

Jones, and after hearing counsel at the bar,

the question was put, That the house con-

cur with the said report? Affirmative 46, ne-

gative 25.

Two thirds of the house not having voted