

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Mr. Tenant delivers a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands; which was read.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the bill, entitled, An act to authorise the several district attornies to collect and receive all debts due the state

On motion by Mr. Griffith, the question was put, That the blank in the bill relative to the per cent. to be allowed, be filled up with the word "six?" Determined in the negative

On motion by Mr. Murray, the question was put, That the said blank be filled up with the word "five?" Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Eccleston, the question was put, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to the next general assembly? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.					
Jones	C Stewart	Price	Tenant	Hawkins	Saulsbury
Knight	T H Dorsey	Showers	Claude	Buckey	Woodyear
Eccleston	Gray	Snowden	Stephen	Bradford	Yates
Neale	Garner	Johnson	Harrison	Steel	
Estep	Jenifer	Martin	W R Stewart	Davis	
NEGATIVE.					
Mr Speaker	Pearce	Claggett	Sweitzer	Forrest	Tidball
Murray	Somerville	Tingle	Kennedy	Linthicum	
Griffith	Semmes	Kell	Gaither		

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill for the relief of sundry poor out-pensioners of Anne Arundel county, was read the second time and passed.

On motion by Mr. Woodyear, the following resolution was read and agreed to:

Resolved, That the treasurer of the western shore of Maryland be and he is hereby directed to pay unto Elijah Smith, a soldier of the revolutionary war, or to his order, annually, in quarterly payments, during his life, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private.

On motion by Mr. Saulsbury, the bill, entitled, An act to open a road in Calvert county, was referred to the next general assembly.

On motion by Mr. Kell, the following order was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Ordered, That the committee of claims allow on the journal of accounts to Rinaldo Pindell, John Yates, John H. Beall, John W. Bordley, Samuel Fountain, Gilbert Smith, Thomas J. Brice, and James Callahan, the sum of dollars each, in addition to their present allowance as committee clerks.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the breadth of a certain road in Kent county, was read the second time, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The bill to authorise Mary Ann Nelms, natural guardian of George Nelms and Ann Eliza Nelms, to convey the property therein mentioned, was read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the additional supplement to the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed November session eighteen hundred and five, and the bill to authorise the division of the land therein mentioned, severally endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendments; which amendments were read, agreed to, and the bills ordered to be engrossed. The bill further to alter and amend the act entitled, An act for the encouragement of such persons as will undertake to build water mills, endorsed will pass with the proposed amendment; which amendment was read, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed. The bill to repeal the act therein mentioned, and the additional supplement to the act for the speedy recovery of small debts out of court, severally endorsed, will not pass. And the resolution authorising the purchase of the decisions which have taken place in the superior courts of this state, endorsed, assented to.

The bill relating to the jurors of Montgomery county; the supplement to an act to lay out and open a road in Prince-George's and Anne Arundel counties, passed December session 1816, were severally read the second time and passed.

The bill for the relief of the heirs of Lawrence Oneale, of Montgomery county, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill, entitled, An act authorising the levy court of Baltimore county to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned, were read the second time and the question put, That the house assent thereto? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Woodyear, the following message was read and agreed to:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, February 13, 1818.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We return you the bill, entitled, An act authorising the levy court of Baltimore county to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned. We have refused our assent to the amendments proposed by your honourable body to said bill, and hope you will agree to reconsider the same, and modify the amendments, by adding thereto the following: "provided however, that the said court be and they are hereby authorised, to suspend all or any proceedings under this act in relation to the bridge over the Great Falls of Gunpowder, at or near Patterson's mills, and below R dgely's forge, if they shall be of opinion that it is expedient so to do.

By order,

L. GASSAWAY, Clerk

The bill to appoint trustees for the sale of the real estate of James Lackland, late of Montgomery county, deceased, was read the second time and passed.

On motion by Mr. Harrison, the question was put, That the house reconsider the report on the petition of General John Gassaway? Resolved in the affirmative.

The report having been read throughout, the question was put, That the house concur therewith and assent to the resolution therein contained? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.					
Mr. Speaker	Weems	Long	Stephen	Woodyear	Forrest
Eccleston	Jenifer	Murray	Harrison	Sweitzer	Tidball
Estep	Johnson	Pearce	Hawkins	Schnebly	
C Stewart	Martin	Digges	Davis		
T H Dorsey	Tenant	Claude	Kell		