

On motion by Mr. T. Kennedy, the following resolutions were read:

Resolved, That as soon as the sum of twenty thousand dollars is subscribed by individuals in stock the Hagerstown and Boonsborough turnpike company, the treasurer of the western shore is hereby authorized and directed to subscribe for six hundred and twenty five shares in said stock.

Resolved, That as soon as the sum of twenty thousand dollars is subscribed by individuals in stock the Williamsport Turnpike Company, the treasurer of the western shore is hereby authorized and directed, to subscribe for six hundred and twenty-five shares in said stock, and to make payment of said subscriptions to the president and directors of the companies aforesaid, by a transfer of Hagerstown bank stock at its market value, provided that it is not at a less rate than its par value.

On motion by Mr. Marriott, the following resolution was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Resolved, That the governor and council be and they are hereby authorized, to settle and adjust the account of Jonas Green for printing the edition of the laws compiled by William Key, Thomas Hart and John N. Watkins, Esquires, and to draw on the treasurer of the western shore for such balance as may be due him.

The further supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to negroes, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, was read the second time and will not pass; which was returned to the senate.

The bill for the relief of sundry poor persons in the several counties therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The resolution in favour of Mary Thompson, was read the second time, assented to, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Barney, the following message was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb. 14, 1821.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

Having received a memorial from all the creditors of John Stemple, (except one,) praying that he may be discharged from confinement, we return you the bill, entitled, An act for the relief of John Stemple, and respectfully ask for a reconsideration of the same.

By order,

J. BREWER, Clk.

The bill for the more effectual prevention of crimes and reformation of offenders, was rejected and returned to the senate.

On the second reading of the order in favour of Thomas Pollard, the names of Samuel Hodgson, Richard Bennet, Jason Moore, and William Boone, were inserted.

On motion by Mr. Alderson, That the whole of the order be stricken out for the purpose of inserting the following: Whereas the officers of this legislature are appointed on recommendation as to ability, integrity and assiduity, and as there have been no duties required of any of them this session but what appertain to the respective stations they occupy, and as an able, faithful, and prompt discharge of the several duties is requisite to justify this house in not dismissing them from their service, and as confidence is an implied approbation of their conduct, no allowance for extra services can be necessary and ought to be made, therefore Resolved, That no appropriation will be made by this legislature for extra services this session, and the resolution passed this legislature for that purpose be and the same is hereby rescinded.

A division of the question was called for and put on striking out? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the house assent to the order? Determined in the negative.

Mr. J. Forrest reports a bill, entitled, An act for the promotion of education in Prince-George's county; which was referred to the next general assembly.

On motion by Mr. J. Forrest, the following resolution was read:

Resolved by the general assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorized, to pay to Richard W. West, administrator de bonis non of Stephen West, the amount due on any certificate heretofore granted to Stephen West in his own right, and as executor of William Hull, under the act, entitled, An act for calling out of circulation the quota of this state of the bills of credit issued by congress, and passed at October session 1780. chapter 5, and which may not have been paid, in the same manner as if said certificates were now produced to him, provided the said Richard W. West shall give bond, to be approved by the said treasurer, to refund the sum of money thus paid, if said certificates shall at any time be produced to the treasurer.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to authorize James Stevens, and Mary Ann, alias Anna Maria his wife, to lease the lot or parcel of ground therein mentioned; the bill for the benefit of All Hallows Parish; the bill relating to the crier of Baltimore county court; the bill to confirm and make valid the ordinance of the corporation of the city of Baltimore; the bill to change the name of George Charles Townes; the bill to change the name of James Woodard and Harriett Woodard; and the bill to authorize the levy court of Charles county to rebuild a tobacco warehouse at Cedar Point, in William Mary parish in said county, severally endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. The bill relating to causes removed for trial within the sixth, fifth, and third judicial districts; and the bill for changing the name of Charles-town, in Charles county, severally endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read, assented to, and the bills ordered to be engrossed. The supplement to an act to provide for the opening and extension of Pratt-street in the city of Baltimore; the bill for the relief of Lewis Helm; and the additional supplement to the act for the better regulation of the militia of the city of Baltimore, severally endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendment was read. A bill, entitled, An act relating to bail in civil cases; a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the Havre de Grace bank; and a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the bank of Somerset, in Somerset county, severally endorsed "will pass;" which were read. The bill for the relief of Benjamin Roberts, of Talbot county, and the additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act authorizing a lottery to raise a sum of money for completing an Episcopal Church in Baltimore county, endorsed "will not pass." Also the following resolution:

Resolved by the general assembly of Maryland, That the judges of the court of appeals shall be and they are hereby requested, at their next session, to take into their consideration the act of assembly passed at November session 1784, chapter 37, entitled, An act for founding a college on the western shore of this state, and constituting the same, together with Washington college on the eastern shore.

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