

The clerk of the senate delivers the report of the commissioners relative to the Susquehanna canal and other documents, referred to in his excellency's communication; which were read.

On motion by Mr. Bryan, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, an act for the better payment of jurors, and justices of the levy court in Cecil county. Ordered, that Messrs Bryan, Gerry and Henderson, report the same.

On motion by Mr. Turbutt, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, an act to authorise the register of wills of Frederick county to collect small debts against the estates of deceased persons, provided said accounts have been proved and passed by the orphans court at the expense of the creditor. Ordered, that Messrs Turbutt, Fisher and Kemp, report the same.

The bill for the relief of Elizabeth Graves, of Saint Mary's county, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Millard, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, an act to pay the civil list. Ordered, that Messrs Millard, Carroll and Lloyd, report the same.

Mr. W. Duvall presents a petition from sundry inhabitants of Montgomery county, praying for an act to amend and straighten the road between the Patuxent river and North West Branch; read and referred to Messrs W. Duvall, Peter, Howard, Iglehart and Merrick.

On motion by Mr. Pitt, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, an act to repeal so far as relates to Dorchester county, a supplement to an act entitled, an act for the better protection of slave holders in the several counties therein mentioned. Ordered, that Messrs Pitt, J. T. H. Worthington and Willis, report the same.

On motion by Mr. Henderson, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, an act to prevent the destruction of sheep by dogs in Cecil and Dorchester counties. Ordered, that Messrs Henderson, Pitt and Bryan, report the same.

Mr. Elijah Barwick presents a petition from Samuel Fountain, praying to be remunerated for the funeral expenses of James Satterfield; read and referred to Messrs Elijah Barwick, Boon and Edward Barwick.

Mr. Kemp from the committee of claims delivers the following report:

Your committee beg leave to report, that they have examined the documents and proceedings of Benjamin Harwood, Treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland, and find on an account settled by the committee of claims to the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred & twenty-two, there was a balance of 133,717 dollars and 83 cents, exchanged six per cent stock of 1812; 335,104 dollars and 74 cents, funded three per cent stock; 3,143 dollars and 95 cents, of the emissions of bills of credit, made by an act of Congress, of the 18th of March 1780; and the sum of 86,635 dollars and 7 1/4 cents cash, remaining in the Treasury.

That it appears to your committee by the accounts of the said Treasurer, he has received for taxes laid pursuant to an act of December session 1821, chapter 192,	\$9,138 00
For money and stock loaned	160 00
For confiscated property	183 92
For Indian lands	600 00
For Amerciaments	952 89
For Fines and Forfeitures	1,458 10
For Marriage Licenses	5,806 71
For Ordinary and Retailers of Spirituous Liquors	23,744 05
For Licenses to retail Dry Goods	6,124 59
For Licenses to venders of merchandize by wholesale	747 00
For Hawkers and Pedlars Licenses	610 40
For Licenses granted to Attorney's at Law	30 00
For Licenses granted to dealers in Lottery Tickets	1,800 00
For Taxes under the act to secure the salary to the Chancellor	454 27
For Interest on Fines, &c.	11 29
From the Treasurer of the Eastern Shore	8,800 00
From the Bank of Baltimore for dividend	6,372 00
From the Union Bank of Maryland	1,272 00
From the Farmer's Bank of Maryland	11,400 00
From the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore	2,325 00
From the Hagar's Town Bank	1,500 00
From the Farmer's and Merchant's Bank of Baltimore	750 00
From the Marine Bank of Baltimore	600 00
From the Franklin Bank of Baltimore	900 00
From the Baltimore and York Town Turnpike Road Company	150 00
From the Baltimore and Frederick Town Turnpike Road Company	440 00
From Benjamin Harwood, trustee for dividend on stock	18,076 12
For composition on Escheats and Vacant Land	604 17
From the Medical Professors of the University of Maryland	1,500 00
From the Directors of the Maryland Penitentiary	698 63
From the Lottery Commissioners, the net proceeds of the State Lottery, No. 1	7,406 11
From the Managers of the 2d Scheme of the University Lottery, for tax on said Lottery	691 20
For a Loan negotiated pursuant to an act of December session 1821, entitled, An act relating to the Maryland Penitentiary, and the supplementary act thereto. passed at December session 1823	27,947 30