

The bill, entitled, An act for the sale of a lot of ground in Baltimore-town the property of Thomas Walley, was read the second time with the proposed amendment and will pass.

Amendment proposed. At the end of the bill insert, "Provided and be it enacted, That if it should appear, by a valuation upon oath to be made in pursuance of directions from the governor for the time being, that the said lot would, without improvements, sell, when the said Thomas Walley comes of age, for a larger sum than the same may be sold for under this act, that upon a certificate from the governor stating such valuation, this state will provide for and pay to the said Thomas Walley such sum as will make up the difference."

The bill, entitled, A Supplementary act to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate the managers of Back creek school, was read the second time, passed, and, with the above bill, sent to the house of delegates by Benedict Edward Hall, Esq;

The senate adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, January 3, 1785.

THE senate met. Present as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

Mr. John Dashiell, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for an addition to George-town in Montgomery county; and a bill, entitled, An act to enable James Hurt to convey to William Deakins, junior, a lot of ground called Church of Scotland Lot, in exchange for other land; severally endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 30, 1784: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 1, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Also a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Eleanor and Charlotte Frazier, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 27, 1784: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 1, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

And also the bill, entitled, An act to authorize and empower the proprietors of Cranberry swamp in Harford county, to reclaim and drain the same, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 31, 1784: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 3, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Digges, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to authorize and empower the securities of Thomas Williams, deceased, late collector of the tax and public dues in Prince-George's county, to complete the same, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 29, 1784: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 3, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

John Davidson, Esq; from the council, delivers to the president a letter from Nicholas and Jacob Vanstaphorst, with a memorial and sundry papers; a letter from P. J. Van Berekel; and a resolution from congress, dated December 16, 1784; and a note signed de Martois.

Mr. Ridgely of William, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to enable the commissioners of Baltimore-town to open and widen Hanover-lane in said town, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 26, 1784: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 3, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

And also the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JANUARY 3, 1785.

Whereas it is represented to this general assembly, that Messieurs Mombos and Latel, of Baltimore-town, had a quantity of wines consigned them in the year seventeen hundred and eighty-three, which were damaged, the duties whereof amounted to four hundred and seventy-seven pounds ten shillings, for which they bonded to the naval officer of Baltimore; that the actual sales of said wines were two hundred and seventy-nine pounds one shilling; that there was no law at that time to remedy such inconveniences, and it appearing reasonable to grant relief in the premises, Therefore RESOLVED, That the naval officer aforesaid be directed to remit and give up so much of the said bond as exceeds the sales aforesaid, and upon the said Mombos and Latel paying the balance that the said bond be cancelled.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Mr. Beatty, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to enable the justices of Frederick county court for the time being, to assess on the inhabitants of the said county a sum of money for the uses therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 3, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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