

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JANUARY 10, 1785.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

THE length of the session, and the desire that the members have to return to their homes, have determined this house to rise on Saturday next, being convinced that the necessary business may be completed by that time. This house propose to adjourn to Monday the 28th day of March next.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Anne Stevenson, was read the second time with the proposed amendments and will pass.

Amendments proposed. After the word "which" in the eighth line of the second page, strike out "her said husband" and insert "the said doctor Henry Stevenson." After the word "to" in the tenth line of the second page strike out the words "the said Anne Stevenson and." After the word "on" in the fifth line of the second page from the bottom, strike out "the said lands" and insert "the estate in Somerset county."

The president lays before the senate a letter from James M^r Henry, Esq; respecting the removal of congress from Trenton to New-York; which was read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

The bill for the relief of Benjamin Garnett, was read the second time and will pass.

The resolution respecting Thomas Hyde, and the resolution respecting Messieurs Mombos and Latel, were read and assented to.

The resolution respecting Thomas Guibert, was read and dissented to.

The bill, entitled, An act for an addition to George-town in Montgomery county, with the above bills, resolutions, and letter, were sent to the house of delegates by Benedict Edward Hall, Esq;

Mr. Quynn, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to enable the corporation of the city of Annapolis to lay a tax on property within the said city and the precincts, to regulate and license ordinaries and retailers of spirituous liquors within the said city and the precincts thereof, endorsed, "By the house of delegates, January 5, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

" By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

" By the house of delegates, January 10, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

" By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Rowland, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the following resolution:

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RESOLVED, That seventeen shillings and six-pence current money per day be allowed to each member of the general assembly for his attendance during this session, and the like sum per day for itinerant charges.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Mr. Harris, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to authorize the issuing grants for the lands therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 5, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

" By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

" By the house of delegates, January 10, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

" By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

T U E S D A Y, January 11, 1785.

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

Mr. Waters, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to empower Peregrine Fitzhugh and Elizabeth his wife to sell a tract of land in Washington county, and to apply the money arising from said sale to the purposes therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 10, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

" By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

" By the house of delegates, January 11, 1785: Read the second time by special order and will pass.

" By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Also a bill, entitled, An act to secure the payment, and give a recovery, of money lent by foreigners to citizens of this state on mortgage of lands, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 10, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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W. HARWOOD, clk.

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Which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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