

same line, insert "and determination." Same line strike out from the word "but" to "measurement" inclusive. After the word "aforesaid," fifth line of the fifth page, insert "provided always, and be it enacted, That if the parties interested have fairly agreed, or shall hereafter agree, to settle the line or lines of any land, and have fixed, or shall fix, boundaries at the termination of such line or lines, to mark and ascertain as well the direction as extent of the line or lines, or where such lines have been settled and ascertained by arbitration, no commissioners shall have power or authority between the same parties, or those claiming under them; or either of them, to vary from the line or lines so settled, agreed or ascertained; and if any persons shall hereafter agree to settle and ascertain the location of their lands, and fix boundaries to the same, such settlement and agreement, and a plot of the lands so settled, may, by consent of the parties interested, be recorded as aforesaid, and when recorded shall have the same effect and consequences as if the location of such land had been settled by commissioners as aforesaid."

ORDERED, That the printer be directed to print one hundred copies of the report of the auditor-general, and also one hundred copies of the treasurer's account.

The bill, entitled, An act to alter and amend the laws respecting Charles-town in Cæcil county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. In the second page and third line, after the word "that," strike out "the commissioner of the said town, to wit."

The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of William Rafin, one of the securities of Thomas Boyer, late sheriff and collector of Kent county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. After the word "that," in the last line of the first page, insert "upon the said William Rafin paying, on or before the first day of April next, to the treasurer of the eastern shore, all monies by him collected, to be ascertained by the oath, which may be administered by the said treasurer." After the word "sell," in the fourth line of the second page, insert the words "on or before the first day of May next." Strike out from the word "till," in the fourth line of the second page, to the word "thereon" inclusive in the eighth line same page, and insert "for current money, the principal to be paid in three equal annual payments, and the interest upon the whole to be annually paid." At the end of the bill insert "nor unless the said securities, or some one of them, make oath, to be administered by the treasurer of the western shore, that the bond or bonds offered were really and bona fide taken for the purchase of the said land of the said Thomas Boyer; and any bond taken and lodged as aforesaid shall, from the date of the obligation, be a lien upon the lands of the obligor or obligors therein mentioned."

The bill, entitled, An act to continue the acts of assembly therein mentioned, was read the second time by especial order and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act to suspend the erecting of the public buildings in Caroline county, the bill, entitled, An act to enable the justices of Anne-Arundel county to assess a sum of money on the said county for the support of the four children of Caleb Hazle, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, and the bill, entitled, An act for opening and extending a road from Elizabeth-town, in Washington county, to Patowmack river, at the mouth of Conococheague creek, were severally read the second time by especial order and will pass.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to prevent the exportation of flour not merchantable, was read the second time by especial order, not passed, and, with the above bills, was sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esquire.

Richard Ridgely, Esquire, brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for enlarging the powers of the high court of chancery; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The senate adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, January 15, 1787.

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

Mr. Faw, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to improve and repair the streets in Frederick-town, in Frederick county, and for other purposes therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 8, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 14, 1787: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Also a bill, entitled, An act for the more effectual relief of the securities of public debtors, endorsed;

"By the house of delegates, January 12, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 14, 1787: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Also the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JANUARY 12, 1787.

RESOLVED, That seventeen shillings and six-pence 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.

Also the following resolution:

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