

W E D N E S D A Y, December 7, 1791.

**T**HE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill, entitled, An act to empower the justices of Queen-Anne's county to levy a sum of money to complete the court-house and gaol at Centre-Ville, in said county, was read the second time by especial order and will pass; which, with the supplement to an act, entitled, An act to straighten and amend the post-road from Havre-de-Grace to Baltimore-town, the bill respecting the fees of the attorney-general and his deputies on executions, in certain cases, the supplement to an act for the relief of the securities of John Beall, former collector of the public taxes for Prince-George's county, and the representation from the inhabitants of the town of Baltimore, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of certain purchasers of confiscated property, was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 5, 1791.

**RESOLVED**, That the trustee under the act of last session respecting the creditors and debtors of this state, be and he is hereby directed not to transfer, until after the first day of January next, any of the six per cent. stock belonging to this state, in lieu of the three per cent. and deferred stock of the state creditors who have subscribed their debts under the act of congress; provided, that this resolution shall not extend to any case where the person entitled to the transfer of such six per cent. stock, shall pay to the trustee the interest thereon from the first of October last to the first of January next.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

The bill, entitled, An act for making an alteration in the turnpike road in Baltimore county, was read the second time and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Susanna Howser, formerly widow of Casper Fritchie, and her children, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. In the 4th line from the top of the 2d page, insert "Mary." In the same line strike out "Margaretta," and insert "Mary Rebecca." In the 5th line of the same page insert "Casper." In the 9th line insert "Mary." In the same line strike out "Margaretta," and insert "Mary Rebecca." In the same line insert "Casper."

The bill, entitled, An act to improve and repair the streets in Elizabeth-town, in Washington county, and for other purposes therein mentioned, was read the second time and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act for the establishment of a warehouse at Beard's point, in Anne-Arundel county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. In the 5th line strike out the words "eighteen-pence," and insert "one quarter of a dollar." After the word "shall," in the first line of the second enacting clause, strike out to the end of the line, and insert "nominate and recommend to the governor and the council three persons, of whom the governor, with the advice of the council, shall appoint and commission one, to be inspector of the said warehouse, in the manner directed in the fifth and sixth sections of an act passed at November session, in the year seventeen hundred and eighty-nine, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco." In the 3d line from the bottom, strike out the word "county," and insert "proprietor or proprietors aforesaid."

Which bills were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The president communicates to the senate a remonstrance from Andrew and Benjamin Ellicott, against the passage of a bill, entitled, An act to lay out certain roads in Anne-Arundel and Montgomery counties. Whereupon, ORDERED, That the said bill have a second reading on Thursday the 15th instant.

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

T H U R S D A Y, December 8, 1791.

**T**HE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The resolution respecting the creditors and debtors of this state, the resolution respecting Abraham Gambell, and the resolution in favour of the debtors of the state, were severally read the second time and assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The bill for the relief of John Smith Brookes, of Prince-George's county, one of the securities of Thomas Williams, late collector of the public taxes in the said county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendment.

Amendment proposed. After the word "Brookes," in the second line of the enacting clause, strike out to the end of the bill, and insert "shall be indulged as to the payment of the debt due by him to the state, on the terms and in the manner following; that is to say, the governor and council are hereby authorized and directed to take a new bond from the said John Smith Brookes for the amount of his debt, with such new security as they shall think sufficient, which shall be a lien on the real property of the obligors, in the same manner as bonds taken under the act passed at November session, in the year seventeen hundred and eighty-nine, entitled, An act respecting the debtors and creditors of this state under the act to establish funds to secure the payment of the state debt within