

in a short one, are anxious that a close should be put to the present session early in the ensuing week.

By order, H. RIDGELY, clk.  
The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

T U E S D A Y, November 27, 1792.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. John Eager Howard, Esquire, appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill for the benefit of Jesse Fookes, of Worcester county, the bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the chief justice or associate justices of any county court to call a court before the time to which the same stands adjourned, the bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the justices of Anne-Arundel county court to call the said court before the time to which it stands adjourned, and the message of adjournment, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the chief justice or associate justices of any county court to call a court before the time to which the same stands adjourned, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 27, 1792: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."

Which was ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution respecting Robert Long, was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the senate proceeded to the consideration of the bill to lay out and open a road to and from the mill of Benjamin Lawrence and Elias Dorsey, on the western fork of Patapsco falls; which was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The bill to empower and authorise certain commissioners of Dorchester and Caroline counties to open a main road, and change the old road which was formerly the division of the said counties, at the North-West Fork bridge, and the same, when so changed, to be the division of the said counties, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

On motion, ORDERED, That a bill, entitled, An act respecting lost certificates, be committed to Benjamin Stoddert, John Hall and Charles Carroll, Esquires, to consider and report amendments thereto.

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

W E D N E S D A Y, November 28, 1792.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except John Hall, Esquire. William Tilghman, Esquire, appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and open roads from Denton, the seat of justice in Caroline county, to different parts of said county, and the same, when opened and laid out, to be the public roads of said county, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 28, 1792: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."

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

And the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 28, 1792.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

THE members of this house are equally impressed with your honours with the impropriety of burthening their constituents with the expence of a long session, when it shall appear to them that the necessary public business might be acted upon in a short one. This house has neither wasted the public time or money. Some permanent provision for the relief of insolvent debtors, has appeared to us as an object of importance, and although it may prolong the present session for a few days, it will certainly shorten future ones very considerably. The different situation of property, from that in which it stood at the time of the last assessment law, and the variety of transfers which have taken place, call loudly for some provision on that head. The regulation of the militia cannot be postponed. And we hoped, that considering the remissness of your honours in convening for the transacti-  
on of the public business, it would not have been attended with a wish to leave it in an unfinished state.

By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

On motion, John Eager Howard, Esquire, brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to establish a turnpike road from the city of Washington to Baltimore-town; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion, Charles Carroll, Esquire, brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to declare the law in certain cases therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act supplementary to an act, entitled, An act for the more effectual paving the streets in Baltimore-town, in Baltimore county, and for other purposes, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 28, 1792: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.  
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