

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, November, 1798. 27

A bill, entitled, An act to alter the times of holding the courts in the several counties therein mentioned, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 19, 1798: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.
"By the house of delegates, December 24, 1798: Read the second time and will pass.
"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."

And also the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 22, 1798.

RESOLVED, That execution upon the judgment obtained at the suit of the state of Maryland against David Lindsay, one of the securities of Thomas O'Bryon, a former sheriff of Queen-Anne's county, be stayed until the first day of January, eighteen hundred; and that upon the said David Lindsay paying the treasurer of the eastern shore, on or before the said day, one half of the principal sum of said judgment, with an interest of six per cent. upon the amount of said principal sum from the first day of November, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, and the costs of suit, a further stay of execution for the balance of said judgment be allowed until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and one; and that upon the said David Lindsay paying the said one half part, with interest as aforesaid, and costs, on the said first day of January, eighteen hundred, as also the one other half part of said principal sum on or before the aforesaid first day of January, eighteen hundred and one, with six per cent. interest thereon from the said first day of January, eighteen hundred, the said judgment shall be deemed satisfied; but if the said David Lindsay shall neglect to pay the said sums, with interest and cost as aforesaid, then execution may issue, without scire facias, for the sum that may be due upon said judgment.

By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which said bills and resolution were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, An act for appointing commissioners to contract for and purchase the lands, commonly called the Choptank Indian lands, in Dorchester county, and for appropriating the same to the use of this state, and to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned, with the amendments thereto, was sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion, the question was put, That the senate do reconsider the resolution respecting the stock belonging to this state in the bank of England? Which was determined in the negative, and Mr. Carroll, Mr. Dorsey and Mr. Purnell, were appointed a committee to prepare an answer to the message of the house of delegates on that subject.

The senate adjourns until Wednesday morning 10 o'clock.

W E D N E S D A Y, December 26, 1798.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on Monday. The proceedings of Monday were read.

The resolution in favour of David Lindsay, of Queen-Anne's county, was read the second time and assented to.

The bill, entitled, An act to authorize the building a market-house on the county wharf in Chester-town, in Kent county, and for the regulation of the said market, was read the second time and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act to confirm certain proceedings of the levy court of Worcester county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendment.

Amendment proposed. Strike out the third and fourth enacting clauses of the bill.

The bill, entitled, An act authorizing the laying out a road in Worcester county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. In the 2d line of the 2d page strike out the word "twenty" and insert the word "thirty." In the 2d line of the 3d page strike out the word "compos" and insert the word "compotes."

The bill, entitled, An act to open and establish a road from Worton neck to Chester-town, in Kent county, was read the second time and will pass.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers to the clerk of the senate a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Henry Clark, senior, of Montgomery county, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 24, 1798: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 26, 1798: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."

A bill, entitled, An act to lay out a new road in Harford county, a bill, entitled, An act to empower the levy court of Baltimore county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, a bill, entitled, An act respecting public roads in Washington county; which said three last mentioned bills were thus severally endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 26, 1798: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."

The bill, entitled, An act to authorize the levy court of Prince-George's county to assess and levy a sum of money as an additional compensation for John Thomas Boucher, one of the assessors of said county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendment.

Amendment proposed. In the last line of the 1st page strike out the word "inhabitants," and in lieu thereof insert the words "assessable property."