

18 VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1800.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to alter such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to voters and the qualification of voters, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 24, 1800: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 3, 1800: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

A bill, entitled, An act to authorize and empower the levy court of Charles county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose of repairing the public road leading from Port-Tobacco through the Zachia Swamp at the Old Bridges, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 25, 1800: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 2, 1800: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

A bill, entitled, A supplement to the act for the promotion of literature in this state, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 26, 1800: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 3, 1800: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

A bill, entitled, An act for the relief of James Alexander Magruder, of Prince-George's county, an insolvent debtor, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 2, 1800: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 4, 1800: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

The following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 2, 1800.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Hannah West, executrix of Stephen West, or her order, the sum of three hundred and fifty pounds, with interest until paid, out of the first unappropriated monies in the treasury, in consideration of the bills of credit paid in by her deceased husband under the act of assembly of one thousand seven hundred and eighty.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

And also the following message, and resolution therein mentioned.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 2, 1800.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE,

THE claim of John B. Onion, as executor of Beriah Maybury, on the state of Maryland, appearing to us well founded, we have presumed to request the reconsideration of the senate on the resolution passed this house in his favour.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which was read.

The president communicates to the senate a memorial from William Alexander, of the city of Annapolis, praying to be heard by counsel at the bar of the senate against the resolution in favour of Rachel Shipley; which was read, and thereupon, on motion, ORDERED, That the parties in the said case concerned be heard by counsel on Saturday the sixth instant, and that the clerk issue summonses for witnesses, upon application of either of the said parties, the expences whereof shall be defrayed by the party applying for the same.

The resolution respecting a loan of money from the bank of Baltimore, was read the second time and assented to.

The resolution in favour of Thomas Renshaw, was read the second time and assented to.

The bill to open a road from Severn ferry, in Anne-Arundel county, to Patapsco lower ferry, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. Strike out the words "any constable" in the tenth line of the second page, and insert "the sheriff." After the word "same" in the seventh line of the third page insert "taking into consideration all conveniencies and inconveniencies, advantages and disadvantages, arising from opening the said road."

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill for the relief of Benoni Hamilton Wade, of Prince-George's county, and the bill for the relief of James Alexander Magruder, of Prince-George's county, an insolvent debtor, have a second reading on Monday next.

The bill to correct a mistake in the beginning of lot number three thousand nine hundred and eighty-three of the lands lying westward of Fort Cumberland, was read the second time and will pass.

Upon a second reading of the message respecting the resolution in favour of John B. Onion, RESOLVED, That the senate will reconsider the said resolution; and, on motion, ORDERED, That summonses be issued for Thomas Lansdale and Richard Foggett, to give evidence for John B. Onion against the state, at the expence of the said John B. Onion, returnable on Tuesday next.