

Strike out the word "shall" in the second line of same page and insert "to." After the word "sold" in the second line of same page insert "upon such terms as he may think proper, and to appoint a trustee or trustees for the purpose of effecting such sale or sales." At the end of the bill add, "And be it enacted, that in cases where a sale of the property of any idiot, lunatic or person non compos mentis, shall be necessary for the support of such person, and such property will not admit of division without prejudice thereto, or shall be so situated, or of such a nature, as to render it adviseable and beneficial to such person, in the opinion of the chancellor, to sell the whole, or any greater part thereof than may be necessary for the immediate support of such person, the said chancellor shall have full power and authority to order a sale or sales to be made of the whole, or so much of the property of such idiot, lunatic or person non compos mentis, as he shall think proper, and to direct the application of the money arising from such sale or sales, and the interest thereof, for the purposes aforesaid, and to direct from time to time in what funds the money arising from said sales shall be vested, and in all things to order in the premises as he may deem for the benefit and advantage of said lunatic. And be it enacted, that all sales made by the authority of the chancellor under this act, shall be notified to, and confirmed by, the chancellor, before any conveyance of the property shall be made, and bond, with good and sufficient security, to be approved by the chancellor, shall be given by the person or persons empowered to sell the property as aforesaid, for the due execution of the trust committed to him or them, which bond shall be lodged with the register in chancery. And be it enacted, that the principal sum arising from the sale of the said property, or so much thereof as may remain unapplied to the use and maintenance of said lunatic, during the life-time of said lunatic, shall, on the death of the said lunatic, belong to such person or persons, his, her or their heirs or legal representatives, as would have been entitled to the said property in case the same had not been sold."

The bill for incorporating the methodist episcopal churches, known by the name of the Light-street and Old-town Methodist Churches, in the City of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, was read the second time and will pass.

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act to establish pilots, and to regulate their fees, was read the second time and will pass.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to regulate constables fees in the several counties therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 10, 1800: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

"By the house of delegates, December 13, 1800: Read the second time and will pass. W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By order,

A bill, entitled, An act to appoint an agent for the year one thousand eight hundred and one, a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of John Jarvis, severally endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 11, 1800: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. W. HARWOOD, clk."

"By order,

"By the house of delegates, December 13, 1800: Read the second time and will pass. W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By order,

A bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Henry Casey, of the city of Baltimore, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 13, 1800: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass. W. HARWOOD, clk."

"By order,

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. W. HARWOOD, clk.

And the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 12, 1800.

RESOLVED, That the chancellor, upon bill or petition being filed by Robert Courtenay, in relation to his purchase of the state of Maryland of a tract of land called Part of Carroll's Scrutiny, lying in Baltimore county, be authorized to proceed upon said bill or petition, and to ascertain the deduction, if any, that ought to have been made from the purchase money of said land, in the same manner as if said Courtenay had, at any time heretofore, filed said bill against the state of Maryland; and that on said deduction, if any, being decreed, and the decree being presented to the treasurer of the western shore, he pay the amount thereof to the said Robert Courtenay out of any unappropriated money which may be in the treasury.

By order,

Which was read the first and second time by especial order and assented to. W. HARWOOD, clk.

The bill for the improvement of the public roads in Kent county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. At the end of the second line of the sixth page insert "and the said collector shall leave with every such taxable an account of his said road tax, within sixty days thereafter, under the penalty of one dollar for every such omission." At the end of the bill add, "And be it enacted, that this act shall continue and be in force for two years, and to the end of the next session of assembly which shall happen thereafter."

The additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the opening of Second-street, in the city of Baltimore, was read the second time and will pass.