J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 9, 1803.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and requested to pay to Robert Amos, senior, the sum of five pounds one shilling and eight-pence current money, with interest from the twenty-first day of September, seventeen hundred and eighty-five, it being the balance due upon the treasurer's books to said Amos, upon a purchase made by him of confiscated property, arising from an over payment of his bond given at the time of the purchase from the intendant.

W, HARWOOD, clk. By order,

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 12, 1803. RESOLVED, That the auditor-general be and he is hereby authorised and directed to liquidate the claim of Thomas Cockey Deye, and ascertain the amount of interest due on certain final settlement certificates, prior to the first day of January, seventeen hundred and eighty-five, paid by him to trustees appointed to sell the land of Archibald Buchanan, and also the amount of interest received by this state of the United States on account of surplus interest paid by him to certain trustees appointed to sell the lands of the said Archibald Buchanan, and by them paid into the treasury, and that the said auditor-general report said liquidated account as soon as may be to the general assembly. By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

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On motion, ORDERED, That the resolution in favour of Thomas Cockey Deye be referred to Mr. Houston, Mr. Partridge and Mr. M'Culloch, to consider and report thereon.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

Υ, December 13, 1803.

HE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Kitturah Milbourne, and the heir of Thomas Milbourne, of Worcester county, was read the second time and will not pass.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

Υ, December 14, 1803. E S D

1 HE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Kitturah Milbourne, and the heir of Thomas Milbourne, of Worcester county, was sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act to regulate elections, was read the

second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk. Mr. McCulloch, from the committee, delivers the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Charles Arien, Antoine Minoire and Martha Villard, beg leave to report, that they have considered their case, and as the law of congress, establishing an uniform rule of naturalization, precludes the acquisition of citizenship in their instance, and the right of a fee-simple tenure in land seems properly and necessarily to attach to that situation, they are of opinion that it will be inexpedient for the legislature to interpose, and recommend that the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition.

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

The bill, entitled, An act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for deepening and widening a well in Taney-town, in Frederick county, and the bill, entitled, An act to prevent swine and geese going at large in Taney-town, in Frederick county, were severally read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Caleb Summers, of Montgomery county, was read the second

time, passed with the proposed amendment, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

By order,

Amendment proposed. Strike out the word "two" in the 6th line of the 4th page and insert "three." The bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of the trustees of the

poor in the several counties therein designated, was read the second time and will not pass.

The bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the levy court of Worcester county to levy annually a sam of money for the support of Aaron Foskey, Betsy Foskey, Thomas Foskey, junior, and Abigail Foskey, children of Thomas Foskey, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the tlerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to extend the powers of the trustees of the poor of Montgomery county, was read

the second time, passed with the proposed amendment, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Between the word " to" and the word " at" in the 2d line of the 2d page insert word "him."