

Mr. Brown, from the committee, delivers a bill, entitled, An act to streighten and amend the post-road leading from Church-Hill to Centre-Ville, in Queen-Anne's county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Houston, from the committee, delivers the bill, entitled, An act to lay out and open a road through Frederick and Montgomery counties; which was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendments proposed. 1. After the word "open" in the 15th line of the 1st page insert "at the expence of such persons as may think proper to contribute thereto." 2. Strike out from the word "when" in the 9th line of the second page to the end of the clause and insert "opened and recorded as aforesaid, and the valuation herein after directed to be made shall have been paid, or secured to be paid, shall for ever thereafter be deemed a public highway, and kept in repair in the same manner as other public roads in the said counties respectively." 3. Strike out the third enacting clause. 4. After the word "made" in the 2d line of the 4th page insert "and the amount thereof paid as aforesaid to the parties respectively interested." 5. Strike out from the word "conclusive" in the 11th line of the 5th page to the word "provided" in the last line. 6. Strike out from the word "act" in the 9th line of the 6th page to the end of the clause and insert "to be paid in the same manner as the amount of the valuation herein before directed to be made." 7. Strike out the last enacting clause.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Joyce Insley, of Dorchester county, a bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the levy court of Worcester county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, passed by that house November 29, 1804; and the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 29, 1804.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to William Wilson and Patrick Magruder, or their order, the sum of one hundred and ninety-two pounds six shillings, with interest thereon from the second day of February, eighteen hundred and three, which said sum was heretofore paid by them for land to which the state had no title.

By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

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

The resolution in favour of the securities of Robert Sinclair was read the second time, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act authorising Thomas Burk, of Frederick county, to dispose of a house and lot in said county by lottery, was read the second time and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to establish and regulate a market at Bridge-town, in Kent county, and for other purposes therein mentioned, be referred to a special committee.

ORDERED, That Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Brown and Mr. Houston, be the said committee.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Benjamin Willson, of Caroline county, a minor, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. 1. At the end of the second page insert, "provided that no sale of personal estate, nor any purchase of land, as directed by the provisions of this act, shall be binding and effectual, unless the same shall have been first ratified and confirmed by the orphans court of Caroline county." 2. Strike out the word "in" in the last line of the bill, and insert "and also to obtain a conveyance or conveyances, in fee-simple, to the said Benjamin Willson, of such lands as may be purchased agreeable to the provisions of."

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

F R I D A Y, November 30, 1804.

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

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to reduce into one the several acts of assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections. ORDERED, That Mr. John Johnson, Mr. Houston, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Brown and Mr. Hayward, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

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

S A T U R D A Y, December 1, 1804.

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

The bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the levy court of Worcester county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The resolution in favour of James Boarman was read the second time, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.