

W E D N E S D A Y, January 8, 1806.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Thomas and Mr. T. Johnson appeared in the senate.

The bill, entitled, An act to alter and change the name of Elizabeth Sower, of the city of Baltimore, to that of Elizabeth Lammott, the bill, entitled, An act to reduce into one the several acts of assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections, the resolution in favour of Patrick Murdock, of Allegany county, and the resolution in favour of Marsham Parker, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to lay out and make a public road from the Black-house, in Harford county, to intersect the Pennsylvania line, a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Robert Williams, a free black man, and his wife and children, a bill, entitled, An act to ratify and confirm the marriage articles made between Ely Dorsey, of Ely, of Frederick county, and Araminta his wife, a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and streighten a certain road in Baltimore county, severally passed by that house January 7, 1806; a bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the levy court of Baltimore county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, a bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act to direct descents, severally passed by that house January 6, 1806; and the following resolution:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, January 7, 1806.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and directed to pay annually unto Robert Halkerstone, of Charles county, or to his order, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a lieutenant in the revolutionary war, in half yearly payments, and the said treasurer is hereby directed to advance one half year's allowance herein granted to the said Robert Halkerstone, on his application.

By order

J. BREWER, clk.

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

The bill, entitled, An act for the support of Covinton Jones and wife, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to establish permanent salaries for the judges of the six judicial districts in this state, was read the second time, agreeably to order, and the question put, Shall this bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Mr. Brown, Mr. T. Johnson, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Shriver, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Whitely. 6.

N E G A T I V E.

Mr. Harwood, president, Mr. Christie, Mr. Duckett, Mr. Houston, Mr. J. Johnson, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Ringgold, Mr. Williams. 8.

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Christie, Mr. J. Johnson and Mr. Houston, be a committee to prepare a message to the house of delegates on the subject of the said bill.

The bill, entitled, An act to provide for recording certain papers in the register's office of Dorchester county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendments proposed. 1. Strike out from the word "that" in the second line of the first enacting clause to the end thereof, and insert "it shall and may be lawful for the justices of the orphans court of Dorchester county, and they are hereby empowered and required, to cause to be recorded by the register of wills of said county, in good leather bound books, to which fair and regular alphabets shall be prefixed, all such papers filed in the office of the register of wills in said county, and which, have not been recorded, as they, or a majority of them, in their judgment may deem necessary and proper to be recorded." 2. At the end of the bill add, "And be it enacted, That this act shall continue in force until the first day of March, eighteen hundred and nine, and no longer.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road to lead from the cross roads near Richard Gatons limekiln, in Baltimore county, nearly in the direction of Jones's Falls, to the city of Baltimore, was sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to lay out and make a public road in Frederick county, was read the second time and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act to alter and repeal such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state as relate to the division of St. Mary's county into election districts, was read the second time and will not pass.

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill, entitled, An act to provide for the organization and regulation of the courts of common law of this state, and for the administration of justice therein, have a second reading to-morrow.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to lay out and establish a road from the city of Annapolis to the city of Washington, and to repeal the act therein mentioned, a bill, entitled, An act to empower the justices of the levy court of St. Mary's county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, and a bill, entitled, A supplement to an