

same clerks." 9. Strike out the words "shall be" in the third line of the 33d page and insert "has been." 10. After the word "court" in the last line of the 34th page insert "And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for any judge of any district, or any justice of the peace in the several counties of this state, to take the bond or recognizance of any coroner, in the same manner, and shall have the same effect and operation, as bonds or recognizances heretofore taken by a chief justice of any district, or any associate justice of any county." 11. After the word "notwithstanding" in the last line of the 36th page insert "And be it enacted, That from and after the passage of this law, it shall not be lawful for any attorney, clerk, sheriff, or other officer, of any of the courts of this state, to send out his or their fees in tobacco, as heretofore practised by the officers aforesaid, but that all fees sent out by either of them, shall be in pounds, shillings and pence." 12. Strike out the last enacting clause.

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

S A T U R D A Y, January 11, 1806.

**T**HE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. The bill, entitled, An act to alter the time of the meeting of the general assembly of this state, and for other purposes, the bill, entitled, An act to lay out and open a certain road in Baltimore county, to intersect the main road leading from Cromwell's bridge to Baltimore, the bill, entitled, An act to authorise any two justices of the peace in this state to qualify the coroners of their respective counties, the bill, entitled, An act to provide for the organization and regulation of the courts of common law in this state, and for the administration of justice therein, the bill, entitled, An act to establish permanent salaries for the judges of the six judicial districts in this state, and the message relative to the last mentioned bill, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to prevent free negroes from selling any corn, wheat, tobacco or other articles, without having a licence for that purpose from a justice of the peace, passed by that house January 10, 1806; a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to streighten part of the road in Harford county which leads from Underhill's mill to the city of Baltimore, and a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Charles Thomas Clarke and William Hall, devisees of Benjamin Hall, late of Prince-George's county, deceased, severally passed by that house January 11, 1806; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The 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, 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, An act to withdraw the funds from Washington and Saint-John's colleges, and subject the same to the appropriation of the legislature, have a second reading on Tuesday next, the fourteenth instant.

The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Richard Gittings and Lambert Smith, of Baltimore county, insolvent debtors, was read the second time, 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. Harwood, president, Mr. Christie, Mr. Duckett, Mr. Hayward, Mr. J. Johnson, Mr. T. Johnson, Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Ringgold. 8.

N E G A T I V E.

Mr. Brown, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Shriver, Mr. Whitely, Mr. Williams. 5.

So it was resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Robert Williams, a free black man, and his wife and children, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to lay out and streighten a certain road in Baltimore county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to lay out and make a public road from the Black-house in Harford county, to intersect the Pennsylvania line, and the bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to lay out, open and clear, a road in Harford county, from a place known by the name of Darlington, to intersect the road leading from Belle-Air to Havre-de-Grace, were severally read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act for draining part of a branch of Tuckahoe, known by the name of Beaver Dam Branch, lying in Queen Anne's county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed: 1. Strike out from the word "from" in the last line of the 1st page to the word "until" in the first line of the next page, and insert "the road crossing the said branch at the Beaver dam causeway." 2. Strike out the words "Samuel Ringgold's head dam" in the second page and insert "the said road."

The 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, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendment.