

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following messages:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 3, 1806.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

IT is with much regret we hear of the death of Thomas Duckett, Esquire, late of your body. We feel the propriety, which is also marked out by inclination, of paying due respect to his memory. We concur with your wishes in this instance, and will take the necessary steps to carry them into effect; but as it appears impossible to make the necessary preparations, and attend the funeral to-day, we propose deferring the ceremony until to-morrow, and will then attend in the senate chamber at three o'clock, and join in procession.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 3, 1806.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

WE propose, with your concurrence, to proceed immediately, agreeably to the order of the day, to the election of two directors to the Union Bank of Maryland for the ensuing year.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

Which were read.

The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

By the SENATE, December 3, 1806.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

WE concur with your proposition, and are ready to proceed immediately to the election of two directors to the Union Bank of Maryland.

By order,

T. ROGERS, clk.

The senate proceeded to ballot for two directors on the part of this state of the Union Bank of Maryland; the ballot box being prepared, and the ballots deposited therein, the committee appointed by the senate to join the committee appointed by the house of delegates retired to the conference room, and after sometime returned and reported, that Thomas Dickson had forty-nine votes, Alexander Rodgers forty-three votes, John Walraven twenty votes, Thomas Caldwell eleven votes, Lemuel Taylor eight votes, John Fitzhugh seven votes, Samuel Briscoe six votes, and Edward Harris two votes.

Whereupon it is declared in the senate, that Thomas Dickson and Alexander Rodgers, having had a majority of the votes of all the attending members of both houses of the legislature, are duly elected directors on the part of this state of the Union Bank of Maryland for and during the term prescribed by law.

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

T H U R S D A Y, December 4, 1806.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Elias Glenn appeared in the senate, and after taking the oaths required by the constitution and form of government, and subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion, and taking the oath for the support of the government of the United States, took his seat.

A memorial No. 2 from Samuel Chase was preferred, read, and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

The bill, entitled, An act to provide for recording certain papers in the register's office of Saint-Mary's county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act authorising James Cooke, late sheriff and collector of Saint-Mary's county, to complete his collection, was read the second time, passed with the proposed amendment, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendment proposed. After the word "thirty" in the last line of the 1st page insert "days."

The bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to lay out and open a public road in Hopkin's Neck, in Talbot county, was read the second time, passed with the proposed amendment, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendment proposed. Strike out the word "Manning's" in the 11th line of the 1st page and insert "Banning's."

A memorial No. 3 from Samuel Chase was preferred, read, and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to confirm and make valid certain proceedings of the orphans courts in different counties of this state, or the justices thereof, passed by that house December 4, 1806; and the following resolution:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 4, 1806.

RESOLVED, That Joseph H. Nicholson, Esquire, the agent heretofore appointed by the governor and council to vest the amount of sales of the stock in the Bank of England belonging to this state in stock of the United States, has discharged the important trust reposed in him in a manner greatly beneficial to the state, and highly honourable to himself.