

The bill, entitled, An act authorising the levy court of Baltimore county to levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, was read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act vesting certain powers in the president of the United States, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of the sheriffs of the several counties of this state, was read the second time by especial order, and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

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

By the S E N A T E, December 31, 1806.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

WE have received your message of this day, proposing to proceed immediately to the election of two directors on the part of this state in the Farmers Bank of Maryland. We agree to go into the election early to-morrow.

By order,

T. ROGERS, clk.

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

T H U R S D A Y, January 1, 1807.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Williams, who is indisposed. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill, entitled, An act relating to public roads in Queen-Anne's county, was read the second time by especial order and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The resolution in favour of the examiner-general was read the second time by especial order, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The resolution relative to the appointment of two directors on the part of this state of the Farmers Bank of Maryland was read the second time by especial order, assented to with the proposed amendment, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendment proposed. Strike out the word "in" in the 7th line of the resolution and insert "or" in the 8th line. The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

By the S E N A T E, January 1, 1807.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

WE propose, with your concurrence, to proceed immediately to the election of two directors on the part of this state in the Farmers Bank of Maryland. No person is put in nomination by the senate in addition to the gentlemen named by your house. Mr. Lowrey and Mr. Dorsey are appointed by this house to join the gentlemen named by you to examine the ballots.

By order,

T. ROGERS, clk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of James W. Dimmett and Catharine Dimmett, a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and make public a road in Charles county; a bill, entitled, An act making an addition to the name of Thomas Porter, of the city of Baltimore, severally passed by that house January 1, 1807; and the following resolutions:

By the H O U S E of D E L E G A T E S, January 1, 1807.

RESOLVED, That the register of the land-office for the western shore be and he is hereby empowered and directed, to cause the general alphabet of patents, from the year sixteen hundred and eighty to the year seventeen hundred and fifty-nine, to be transcribed into a new book, for performing which service the said register shall be allowed at the same rate which the late register of the said office was allowed for the general alphabet of certificates by him transcribed, and shall, on passing an account or accounts therefor with the auditor, be paid by the treasurer of the western shore the amount of the accounts so passed out of any unappropriated money remaining in the treasury.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be and they are hereby authorised and requested, at any time during the recess of the general assembly, upon the application of the said register, to ascertain the state of such of the record books in the said office as shall be by him pointed out as requiring to be repaired, and to direct and cause such repairs to be made to the covers of the books, as they may deem necessary for the better preservation of the records therein contained.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

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

The senate proceeded to ballot for two directors on the part of this state of the Farmers Bank of Maryland; the ballots were deposited in the ballot box, sealed up, and delivered to the committee of the senate appointed to meet the committee of the house of delegates, who retired to the conference room, and after some time returned and reported, that William Hayward had seventy votes, William Kilty sixty-two votes, and John Chalmers eight votes.

Whereupon it is declared in the senate, that William Hayward and William Kilty, having had a majority of the ballots of all the attending members of both branches of the legislature, are duly elected directors on the part of this state of the Farmers Bank of Maryland.