

Mr. Dorsey, Mr. Gibson. Mr. Thomas, president, Mr. Glenn, Mr. Lowrey, Mr. M' Elderry, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Shriver, Mr. Smithson, Mr. Whitely, Mr. Williams.

So it was determined in the negative, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk. The clerk of the house of delegates returns the bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money to purchase a fire engine, and to purchase ground and to build a school-house, in Rockville, in Montgomery county, and the resolution in favour of Jubb Fowler, with the following messages:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, January 2, 1807.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

WE return you the bill, entitled, A supplement to an act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money to purchase a fire engine, and to purchase ground and build a school-house, in Rockville, in Montgomery county, and hope upon reconsideration, which we solicit, it will pass your house. Some of the commissioners named in the law to which this is intended as a supplement cannot act, and without the supplement now wished for is carried into a law, the original act cannot produce the effect it was intended to have. We therefore hope you will consent to reconsider and pass the same.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, January 2, 1807.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

WE perceive with regret that you have returned the resolution passed this house in favour of Jubb Fowler dissented from. We flatter ourselves that on reconsideration you will agree to the resolution, especially when you take into consideration the confidential situation in which he has been placed for twenty-five years past, the faithful manner in which he has discharged the duties of his double station of door-keeper and messenger, the labour incident to the discharge thereof, the advanced age of the memorialist, and the immense increase in the expence of living since the establishment of his salary. We therefore return the resolution to you, in expectation that on its reconsideration you will agree with us in opinion, that under all circumstances the addition proposed by us to the salary of the memorialist is but just and reasonable.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

Which were read.

The bill, entitled, An act for the punishment of forgery, and for other purposes, was read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to make public a road in Charles county, passed by that house January 2, 1807; which was read the first and second time by especial order, and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to lay out and streighten a road from Towson's tavern, on the Baltimore turnpike road, to intersect the Pennsylvania line at major David Wiley's, was read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to provide for the making an alteration in the road therein mentioned, a bill, entitled, An act to alter and change the times for holding the court of oyer and terminer and gaol delivery for Baltimore county, a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Ephraim Furnis and Littleton Furnis, of Worcester county, severally passed by that house January 2, 1807; a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to lay out and open a road from the Pennsylvania line to the Susquehanna canal, in Cecil county, passed by that house January 3, 1807; and the following resolutions:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, January 2, 1807.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay unto Edward Roberts, the messenger to the court of chancery, the sum of forty dollars, as a compensation for his services for the last year.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, January 2, 1807.

Whereas it is of importance to every republican government to encourage, by every means in its power, the enterprising and patriotic exertions of its citizens in defence of their country: And whereas George Washington Mann, a citizen of this state, in conjunction with Priestly Neville O'Bannon, was the first to establish the American standard, under the command of general Eaton, on the walls of Derne; thereby signaling himself for his bravery, and contributing to the delivery of many of our fellow-citizens from bondage; therefore RESOLVED unanimously That the governor and council be and they are hereby authorised and required, to procure a handsome sword and belt, with an appropriate engraving and motto, emblematic of the action of Derne, and cause the same to be delivered to the said George W. Mann, in testimony of the high sense of approbation the legislature of this state entertain of his gallant conduct.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

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