

county, severally passed by that house December 3, 1808; a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the president and directors of the Baltimore water company, a bill, entitled, An act to repeal part of an act of assembly therein mentioned, severally passed by that house December 5, 1808; and the following resolution:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 5, 1808.

RESOLVED, That all proceedings against Denwood Hicks, and his securities, on a judgment obtained by the state against them for the purchase money due on the Choptank Indian lands, be and the same are hereby suspended and stayed until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and ten.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

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

The bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage therein mentioned, being supplementary to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of Mary Gwinn, of Frederick county, was read the second time, passed, and, with the bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act relating to the public roads in the several counties therein mentioned, sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to repeal part of the seventh section of an act, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the regulation and improvement of Denton, in Caroline county, was read the second time, and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The president laid before the senate a letter from the governor of this state, relative to repairs and furniture for the government-house, and covering accounts for the same; which were read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

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

T U E S D A Y, December 6, 1808.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Thomas B. Dorsey, Mr. Gibson and Mr. Glenn, appeared in the senate.

The clerk of the house of delegates returns the bill, entitled, An act for the relief of petit jurors of Baltimore county court, passed by that house December 5, 1808. Ordered that the said bill be engrossed.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and open two public roads in Cecil county, and a bill, entitled, An act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of repairing the parsonage-house and the church belonging to the German evangelical lutheran congregation in Frederick-town, in Frederick county, severally passed by that house December 5, 1808; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The senate resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for regulating the mode of staying executions, and repealing the acts of assembly therein mentioned, and for other purposes, and on progression in reading said bill, the question was put, Will the senate receive the following as amendments thereto? to wit:

23. After the word "virtue" in the 16th line of the 7th page insert "of." 24. Strike out from the word "if" in the 3d line of the 8th page to the end of the clause and insert "it shall appear to the said judge or justices that the said application is well founded, he or they shall issue a summon, directed to the sheriff or constable of the county where the person or persons having confessed such judgment may reside, requiring him, her or them, within a fixed reasonable time, to be mentioned in such summon to enter into another confession of the same judgment, with other securities, to be approved of by said judge or justices, and upon the failure or neglect of such person or persons to comply with the requisition in such summon contained, the said judge or justices, upon proof of the service of such summon, or of its being left at the last place of abode of the person or persons on whom it should have been served, are hereby directed to deliver, upon the same being applied for, a statement, under his or their hands and seals, of the issuing of such summon, and the failure of compliance therewith, upon the delivery whereof to the clerk or register of the court where such confession of judgment was returned, the plaintiff or plaintiffs in the original judgment may have and use the same proceedings thereon which might or could have been had if this act had never passed; provided always, that if after the expiration of the time mentioned in the said summon, a confession of judgment as therein required shall be entered into, and a certificate thereof obtained, such certificate shall have the same force and operation as it would have had under this act, if no antecedent confession of judgment had ever been made, and the said confession of judgment shall be returned and recorded, in the same manner, and under the same penalties, as are herein before prescribed." 25. Strike out the seventh enacting clause. 26. After the word "aforesaid" in the 5th line of the 11th page insert "such sum shall bear interest from the date of such confession and." 27. After the word "execution" in the 7th line of the 11th page insert "on said confession of judgment or the original judgment on which such confession was made." 28. Strike out the tenth enacting clause. 29. Strike out the second "and" in the 3d line of the 12th page and insert "or." 30. After the word "bond" in the 5th line of the 12th page insert "to the landlord or landlords, his, her or their executors or administrators." 31. After the word "lands" in the 6th line of the 12th page insert "or tenements." 32. Strike out the words "hath or" in the 7th line of the 12th page. 33. After the word "may" in the 7th line of the 12th page insert "have." 34. At the end of