

Amendment proposed. Strike out from the second " of " in the 5th line of the 2d page to the word " provided " in the same line of the same page and insert " the devise so as aforesaid made to the said Charlotte Murray."

The bill, entitled, An act to prevent persons from staking out seines across the river Wicomico, in Somerset county, was read the second time by especial order, passed with the proposed amendments, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendments proposed. 1. Strike out the word " forty " in the 7th line of the 1st page and insert " twenty ; " 2. Strike out the word " forty " in the 5th line of the 2d page and insert " twenty."

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to prevent the erection of hucksters booths near the places and during the times of divine worship, a bill, entitled, An act to make public an old road in Harford county, and a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act relating to servants and apprentices, severally passed by that house December 19, 1808 ; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates returns the bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, the bill, entitled, An act to repeal an act, entitled, An act for the punishment of forgery, and for other purposes, and the bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act for quieting possessions, and securing and confirming the estates of purchasers, severally endorsed, " By the house of delegates, December 19, 1808 : Read the second time and will pass." Ordered that the said bills be engrossed.

The bill, entitled, An act to pay the civil list, and other expenses of civil government, the bill, entitled, An act for the support of John Richards, of Montgomery county, and 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 support and maintenance of Richard Bond, were severally read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The resolution relative to the purchase of arms was read the second time, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act authorising and empowering Stephen Collins and Whittington Polk to dispose of the lands therein mentioned, the bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the children of Isaac Lansdale, deceased, of Prince-George's county, and the bill, entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of the trustees of the poor in Somerset county, were severally read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to regulate the fees of the register of the court of chancery, and the bill, entitled, An act directing the register of the land-office of the western shore to issue a patent to George Churchman, and others, for the land or lot therein mentioned, were severally read the second time and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act confirming the title of James Kent, Thomas Kent, Francis Kent, William Coleman, and the heirs of James Kent, the elder, to the lands therein mentioned, was read the second time and will pass.

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

T U E S D A Y, December 20, 1808.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Gibson. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill, entitled, An act for opening a certain road in Baltimore county therein mentioned, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. 1. Strike out the word " direct " in the 7th line of the 1st page. 2. After the word " shop " in the 8th line of the 1st page insert " with as little inconvenience to the landholders as possible." 3. Strike out the word " sixty " in the 13th line of the 1st page and insert " forty."

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act authorising the register of wills of Worcester county to deliver up to William Delastatus the testament and last will of his father, Joseph Delastatus, lately deceased, a bill, entitled, An act to establish and confirm certain acts done by justices of the peace in Allegany county, a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of John M. Mullin, of Caroline county, severally passed by that house December 20, 1808 ; and the following resolution :

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 19, 1808.

RESOLVED, That all proceedings against John Wilkins, and his securities, on a judgment obtained against them on account of a balance due to the state by the said John Wilkins, as sheriff of Somerset county, be and they are hereby suspended until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and ten, and also that the said John Wilkins, and his securities, be and they are hereby released from the payment of the nine per cent. per annum of the fifteen per cent. interest chargeable on the principal of the balance due the state, on condition only that the said John Wilkins, and his securities, shall punctually pay to the treasurer of the eastern shore, on or before the first day of January, eighteen hundred and ten, the principal of the balance due the state, with interest on the said principal at the rate of six per cent. per annum, together with all costs on said judgment ; provided, that the judgment shall continue and be in force, notwithstanding the suspension directed by this resolution, and