

For Somerset county, Thomas Bayly, Henry K. Long, Littleton P. Dennis and John C. Wilson, Esquires. For Dorchester county, Robert Hart, Thomas Pitt, Edward Griffith and Benjamin W. Le compt, Esquires. For Cecil county, Lambert Beard, Abraham D. Mitchell, George Davidson and Robert Evans, Esquires. For Queen Ann's county, William E. Meconniken, Kinsey Harrison, Samuel Burgess and Robert Stevens, Esquires. For Worcester county, Thomas N. Williams, Ephraim K. Wilson, Littleton Quinton and Isaac Mitchell, Esquires. For Frederick county, Joseph Taney, senr. col. John Thomas, Joshua Howard and James Johnson, Esquires. For Harford county, Charles S. Sewell, Samuel Bradford, Henry Hall and John Forwood, Esquires. For Caroline county, Montgomery Denny, William M. Harcastle, Peter Willis and Thomas Styll, Esquires. For the city of Baltimore, William Stewart and Christopher Hughes, junior, Esquires. For Washington county, Martin Kershner, Jacob Schnebly, John Bowles and Edward G. Williams, Esquires. For Montgomery county, Abraham Jones, John H. Riggs, Richard I. Crabb and Charles J. Kilgour, Esquires. For Alleghany county, William M. Mahon, William Hileary, Joseph Tomlinson and James Prather, junior, Esquires. For Prince George's county, Thomas T. Somerville, William Dent Beall, Edward Henry Calvert and Archibald Van Horn, Esquires. For the city of Annapolis, Lewis Duvall and Dennis Claude, Esquires.

Your committee also report, that they have inspected the return of the presiding judges of Anne Arundel county, and find that Thomas Sellman, Thomas Hall Dorsey and Charles Stewart of David, Esquires, are elected declared and duly returned as members of the house of delegates.

Your committee have also had under consideration the memorial of sundry voters of Anne Arundel county, complaining of the return of Roderick Dorsey, Esquire, as a delegate for said county, on the ground of his not having the residence in the county required by the constitution; and on the examination of witnesses, whose depositions are herewith filed, it was proved to your committee that the said Dorsey resided in Baltimore county during the year eighteen hundred and fourteen, until the month of December in the said year. Your committee therefore submit for consideration the following resolution:

Resolved, That Roderick Dorsey, Esquire, a delegate returned for Anne Arundel county, is not entitled to a seat in this house. All which is submitted,

JOHN N. WATKINS, Clk.

Which was read.

On motion by Mr. Little, ordered, that the said report with the testimony accompanying the same be printed.

The house adjourns until to morrow morning nine o'clock.

SATURDAY, December 9.

The house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Hileary from the committee delivers the following report:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of William Roberts, report, that they have had the same under consideration and find the facts therein stated to be true, they therefore submit the following resolution.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby directed to pay to William Roberts, of Alleghany county, a private in the revolutionary war, or his order annually in quarterly payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private as a further remuneration to him for those services by which his country has been so essentially benefitted.

By order,

WM. K. LAMBDIN, Clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Dickinson delivers a petition from Benjamin Chandler, of Talbot county, praying a special act of insolvency. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Dickinson, Martin and Meconniken.

Mr. J. C. Wilson delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Somerset county, praying that an act of incorporation may pass for the erecting of buildings and machinery in the said county. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Wilson, Bayly and Long.

Mr. Long delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of the town of Princess Ann, in Somerset county praying that a law may pass to provide regulations for the good government of the said town. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Long, J. C. Wilson and Dennis.

The bill entitled, an act for the benefit of George Klink, of Washington county, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Taney delivers a bill entitled, an act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of building a school house in the vicinity of Taney town in Frederick county. Which was read,

The bill entitled, an act to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council for the ensuing year, was read the second time by special order and passed.

The bill entitled, an act authorising Enoch Coombs, late sheriff of Saint Mary's county, to complete his collections, was read the second time and passed.

The speaker laid before the house a report from the clerk of Montgomery county court relative to the attendance of the judges of that court. Which was read and referred to the committee of grievances and courts of justice. Also a report from the trustees of Charlotte Hall school. Which was read.

Mr. T. N. Williams from the committee of claims delivers the following report:

BY THE COMMITTEE OF CLAIMS.

Your committee beg leave to report, that they have examined the accounts and proceedings of Benjamin Harwood, treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland, and find by an account settled by the committee of claims to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, there was a balance of 569,717 dollars and 83 cents, exchange six per cent. stock; 335,104 dollars and 74 cents, funded three per cent. stock; 4,919 dollars and 13 cents of the emissions of bills of credit made by an act of congress of the 18th of March, 1780; and the sum of 208,528 dollars and 16 cents, specie remaining in the treasury.

That it appears to your committee by the accounts of the said treasurer, he hath received for escheats, caution and improvements on land certificates 4,109 dollars and 24 cents; for open account 1,420 dollars; for bonds taken for money lent 1,960 dollars; for confiscated property 2,391 dollars and 44 cents; for