

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Elizabeth R. Snyder of the city of Baltimore; was read the second time by special order and passed.

The senate adjourns until Monday 29th instant.

### MONDAY, December 29, 1817.

Mr. Spencer, (President) and Mr. Cresap, appeared in the senate, who adjourn until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

### TUESDAY, December 30, 1817.

The same members appeared as on yesterday. Mr. Cresap and Mr. Maxcy appeared in the senate. The members present adjourn until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

### WEDNESDAY, December 31, 1817.

The same members appeared as on yesterday. Mr. Calvert, Mr. Winchester, Mr. Winder, appeared in the senate. The members present adjourn until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

### THURSDAY, January 1, 1818.

The same members appeared as on yesterday. Mr. Gale appeared in the senate. The proceedings from Saturday the 20th instant inclusive, were read.

Mr. Winder presented the memorial of the president and directors of the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore; which was read and referred to Messrs. Winder, Winchester and Maxcy, to consider and report thereon. Also the memorial of James Ellicott, and others, of the city of Baltimore; which was read and referred to Messrs. Winchester, Jackson, Gale, Maxcy and Calvert, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Jackson presented the memorial of Francis Hollingsworth; which was read and referred to the committee on the memorial of James Ellicott and others.

Mr. Winchester presented the petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore for opening Pearl-street; which was read and referred to Messrs. Winchester, Gale and Winder, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Gale presented the memorial of the Havre-de-Grace Ferry Company; which was read and referred to Messrs. Gale, Jackson and Calvert, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Winchester presented the petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore to repeal the law for opening Bidge street; which was read and referred to Messrs. Winchester, Maxcy and Jackson, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Winder reported a bill, entitled, An act relating to the state directors in the several banks in this state; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, An act to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the title of The Farmers Bank of Leonard Town; the bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Elizabeth R. Snyder of the city of Baltimore; and the bill, entitled, An act to open and extend Chesnut-street in the city of Baltimore, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion of Mr. Winchester, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to appoint a warden for the gaol of Baltimore county. Ordered, That Messrs. Winchester, Calvert and Cresap, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Winder reported a bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act to incorporate the stockholders of the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore; which was read the first and second time by special order and will pass.

Mr. Maxcy presented the petition of James Williams and Thomas Harris; which was read.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following bills: a bill, entitled, An act relating to the town of Bel-Air in Harford county; a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Elizabeth Sterrett of Washington county; a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate the Union Company of Snow Hill; a bill, entitled, An act declaring what shall be evidence in certain cases therein mentioned; a bill, entitled, An act to repeal an act, entitled, An act to prevent the going at large of geese and swine in the towns of Upper Marlborough and Nottingham, in Prince-George's county, so far as it relates to Upper Marlborough; a bill, entitled, An act supplementary to an act for amending and reducing into system the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, the duties of executors, administrators and guardians, and the rights of orphans and other representatives of deceased persons; also a resolution in favour of John Smith; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Jackson from the committee reported a bill, entitled, An act to repeal the several acts of assembly for the destruction of crows in Somerset and Calvert counties; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Winchester, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act relating to election districts in the city of Baltimore. Ordered, That Messrs. Winchester, Winder and Jackson, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

On motion of Mr. Jackson, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of the heirs of Samuel Wilson, late of Somerset county deceased. Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson, Maxcy and Winder be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Winder reported a bill, entitled, An act to prevent the exportation of negroes and mulattoes, and amend the laws concerning runaways; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

### FRIDAY, January 2, 1818.

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

Mr. Winchester presented the petition for the extension of Centre-street; which was read and referred to Messrs. Winchester, Winder and Maxcy, to consider and report thereon.

The bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act to incorporate the stockholders of the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore, was sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion of Mr. Winder, the following resolution was read, adopted, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk:

Resolved, That all petitions, reports, documents, and papers, (except bills) which may be hereafter or-