

counties, passed at December session 1820, chapter 200, reported that the committee were of opinion that the bill ought to pass, and the bill was read a third time and will pass.

Mr. M'Kim from the committee to whom was referred the resolution relative to the treasurer's accounts, reported that the committee were of opinion that it ought to pass; the question was then taken on its passage and determined in the affirmative.

Mr. M'Kim from the committee to whom was referred the resolution relative to the auditor's accounts, reported that the committee were of opinion that it ought to pass; the resolution was then read a third time and assented to.

Mr. Johnson from the committee submitted the following report:—

The committee to whom was referred the bill entitled, An act to lay out a road in Baltimore county do leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and are of opinion that it ought not to pass. By the act of 1818, chapter 89, full authority is given to the different county courts to open, straighten or shut up any public road in their respective counties. This law was passed with the view of preventing special applications to the legislature. Your committee are not advised that its provisions are in any respect defective, but if they were they can easily be remedied; they think it always inadvisable to legislate for particular cases when they are provided for by a general law.

By order, TH. W. LOOCKERMAN, Com. Clk.

Which was read. The bill was then read a third time and will not pass.

The senate adjourned until to morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1822.

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

The resolution relative to the sale of stock; the resolution relative to the auditor's accounts; the resolution relative to the treasurer's accounts; the supplement to the act to establish a patrol in Saint Mary's, Anne Arundel, Prince George's and Charles counties, passed December session eighteen hundred and twenty, chapter 200; and the bill to lay out a road in Baltimore county, were sent to the house of delegates.

The bill entitled, An act entitled, A supplement to the act laying duties on licenses to retailers of dry goods, and for other purposes, was read a second time and referred to Messrs. Bowie, Chambers, Orrell, Wootton and M'Kim.

The bill for the benefit of Barbara Hoffman, George Hoffman, Henry Crum and Barbara Crum, his wife, John Hoffman and Peter Hoffman, of Frederick county, was read a second time and laid on the table.

The bill to authorise the orphans' courts in this state to appoint trustees in cases therein mentioned, was read a second time and laid on the table.

The bill to authorise Richard B. Lee to bring into this state a certain negro therein mentioned, was read a second time and laid on the table.

The bill authorising the appointment of an agent, was read a second time and laid on the table.

The supplement to an act for the distribution of a certain fund for the purpose of establishing free schools in the several counties therein named, was read a third time and will pass with the proposed amendments. Amendments proposed. 1st. In the 3rd line 1st section strike out the words "levy court" and insert "orphans' court." 2d. In the 1st line 2d section strike out "levy court" and insert "orphans' court." Sent to the house of delegates.

Mr. Chambers from the committee to whom was referred the resolution in favor of Capt. Solomon Frazier; the resolution in favor of Elizabeth Poe; the resolution in favor of Hezekiah Ford; the resolution in favor of Nancy Handy; the resolution in favor of Sarah Middleton, reported that the committee had taken the same under consideration and were of opinion that they ought to pass; the resolutions were then severally read a third time, assented to and sent to the house of delegates.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the engrossed bills from No. 1. to No. 74 inclusive, from No. 79 to No. 100 inclusive, which were read, assented to and returned to the house of delegates. Also returns the bill to alter the time of the meeting of the general assembly of this state with the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb. 9, 1822.

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*—We have received your message requesting a re-consideration of the bill entitled, An act to alter the time of the meeting of the general assembly of this state, and for other purposes, and upon re consideration we decline passing the same.

By order,

JOHN BREWER, Clk.

Also the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb 9, 1822

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*—We have received your message proposing to invite his excellency the governor to attend in the senate chamber this evening at 5 o'clock to sign such of the bills passed during the present session as may be prepared for his signature; and agree to the same. We have appointed Messrs. Milard and Meconkin to join such gentlemen as may be named by your honorable body for that purpose.

By order,

JOHN BREWER, Clk.

Which was read.

The supplement to the act to authorise a lottery or lotteries to raise a sum of money for the purpose of repairing and raising a fund for the use of Washington college, was read a third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

The following message was sent to the house of delegates:

BY THE SENATE, Feb. 9, 1822.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*—The senate have appointed Messrs. Chambers and Woot-