

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, April, 1787. 447

Mr. Dent brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act authorizing the appointment of trustees to sell and convey a tract of land called Hall's Lot, lying and being in Charles county, for the purposes therein mentioned; which was read the first and second time by especial order and passed. Sent to the senate by Mr. Dent.

The petition of the proprietors of the town of Upper-Marlborough, in Prince-George's county, referred from the last to the present session, was read and referred to Mr. F. Bowie, Mr. Quynn and Mr. R. Bowie, to consider and report thereon.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to lay out several turnpike roads in Baltimore county. ORDERED, That Mr. Chase, Mr. M'Mechen, Mr. Hollingsworth, Mr. Owings, Mr. Cockey, Mr. Ridgely and Mr. T. Johnson, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Richard Ridgely, Esquire, from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the supplement to the act for the speedy recovery of small debts out of court, with the following messages:

BY THE SENATE, MAY 8, 1787.

GENTLEMEN,

WE agree to recede from the first and second amendments proposed by this house to the bill, entitled, A supplement to the bill for the speedy recovery of small debts out of court, and consent to pass the same on the terms proposed by you.

By order,

J. DORSEY, clk.

Which was read the first and second time, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

BY THE SENATE, MAY 8, 1787.

GENTLEMEN,

ALTHOUGH the proposition contained in your message of yesterday by Mr. Harwood, to add Gabriel Duvall and Daniel of Saint Thomas Jenifer, Esquires, to the nomination of deputies to meet at Philadelphia, is not so agreeable to us as either of the propositions we offered, yet as it appears to be the wish of your house, that the gentleman who had the smallest number of votes on the last ballots should be added to the delegation, we, to prevent further delay in this important business, agree to your proposal to include Gabriel Duvall and Daniel of Saint Thomas Jenifer, Esquires, in the appointment.

By order,

J. DORSEY, clk.

Which was read.

The order of the day is postponed till to-morrow morning.

On motion, the question was put, That the house now adjourn till to-morrow morning 8 o'clock? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Ridgely, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs:	Abell,	Harwood,	Fitzhugh,	Dent,	Adams,	Purnell,	
	Hopewell,	Chase,	Grahame,	Gale,	F. Bowie,	Henry,	
	Wright,	B. Werthington,	Gantt,	Stewart,	R. Bowie,	Wheeler.	18.

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	De Butts,	M'Pherson,	Gibson,	Quynn,	Mantz,	Funk,	
	Perkins,	Stone,	Polk,	Paca,	T. Johnson,	Cromwell,	
	Miller,	Owings,	Pattison,	Joshua Seney,	Hollingsworth,	Burgefs,	
	Johnson,	Cockey,	R. Bond,	Jackson,	M'Mechen,	Oneale.	29.
	Taney,	Ridgely,	Bravard,	Faw,	Cellars,		

So it was determined in the negative.

The house adjourns till 3 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The house met.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 8 o'clock.

W E D N E S D A Y, May 9, 1787.

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

Mr. Ridgely, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Job Garretson, of Baltimore county, beg leave to report, that the prayer of said petition is reasonable, and ought to be granted. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

A. GOLDBER, clk.

Which was read.

Mr. F. Bowie, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of the proprietors of the town of Upper-Marlborough, in Prince-George's county, beg leave to report, that they find the facts therein stated to be true, and are of opinion that the prayer of the said petition is reasonable, and ought to be granted. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

W. PINKNEY, clk.

Which was read.

A petition