

* By the senate, November 28, 1791: Read the second time and will pass.

“ By order, H. RIDGELY, clk.”

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petitions of sundry proprietors of mills and mill-seats on Jones's Falls, in Baltimore county, and the remonstrance and petitions counter thereto, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petitioners ought to be granted, and that a law should pass, authorising the petitioners to open, at their expence, a road from Ellicott's mill-seat on said Falls by Tyson's mill, from thence to Jessop's mill, thence to Baxly's mill, thence to Leggett's mill, thence to the north-west corner of Hanson's meadow, thence by the north-east corner of the poor-house ground, and from thence to the street commonly called Liberty-street, and with said street until it intersects Baltimore-street at Congress Hall; and that the present road from Baxly's mill to Tyson's mill shall be continued as a public road, until William and Charles Jessop, or their representatives, shall, at their expence, open and make good the road from their mill to said Tyson's mill, and no longer, and that the said Tyson finish the new road from Baxly's mill to his mill at his own expence, saving all the rights of John Baxly to any advantages that he may have from any written or verbal contract entered into by him with Elisha Tyson respecting said road; and that the said Jessops shall have a road from their mill to any part of the present road leading from the said Tyson's mill to said Baxly's mill.

The committee are further of opinion, that one other road should be opened at the expence of the petitioners for said road, branching from the aforesaid road near Leggett's ford down the east side of Jones's Falls by Hanson's upper mill, from thence to the north corner of Tagart's dam until it intersects the old road leading to Baltimore-town near said dam.

By order, A. GOLDER, clk.

Which was read the first and second time and concurred with.

Mr. Goldsborough, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act concerning estates tail, passed at November session, 1782; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

T U E S D A Y, November 29, 1791.

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

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Duvall and Mr. Wright be added to the committee on the memorial of James Hutchings.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry insolvent debtors, report, that they have examined the petitions, and publications of their intention of petitioning for relief, of Sarah Dashiell, of Queen-Anne's county, Joseph Evans and Frederick Devilbiss, of Baltimore county, and find them regular. Your committee do recommend them to the clemency of the legislature on the usual manner. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order, N. PINKNEY, clk.

Which was read.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Caroline county, praying an act to raise a causeway in the marsh at Denton to shorten the ferry, and to open necessary roads, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Wright, Mr. Loockerman and Mr. Douglass, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from George Walker and Joseph Curtis, of Baltimore county, praying to receive a compensation in money, in lieu of land warrants heretofore issued for and laid on land supposed to be vacant, was preferred, read, and referred to the next session of assembly.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry subscribers living in and near the neighbourhood of South river, in Anne-Arundel county, report, that they have examined the facts therein stated, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petition is reasonable, and that an act ought to pass, authorising Richard Beard, or the proprietor that may be of Howard's point, on South river, to provide, at his or their own expence, a warehouse for the reception and inspection of tobacco, and to receive, in lieu of rent for the same, on each hoghead there inspected the usual and accustomed price paid at other warehouses, and to authorise and direct the justices of the peace of Anne-Arundel county to appoint inspectors to attend the same.

By order, N. PINKNEY, clk.

Which was read.

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. S. Smith be added to the committee on the petition of Joseph Ford.

ORDERED, That Mr. Duvall and Mr. Wright be added to the committee on the petition of John H. Stone.