"And be it enacted, That all proceedings in chancery, under this act, shall be recorded by the register, who shall be entitled to the same fees as are fixed by law for services in other cases.

"And be it enacted, That in all appointments of trustees under this act, by the chancellor, in the room of any person before appointed, the chancellor shall consult the creditors, and govern himself by the choice of a majority of them in value; unless upon notice being given by public advertisement, or in such other manner as he shall think reasonable, the said creditors shall neglect to make such choice."

In the 7th page, after the word "Hammond," at the end of the 3d line from the bottom, insert "to be." In the same page, after the word "by," in the 2d line from the bottom, insert "virtue of." In the 8th page, 8th line, strike out "orphans court of Anne-Arundel county," and insert "chancellor." In the same page, 10th line, strike out "judges of the orphans court," and insert "chancellor." In the 9th page, 1st line, strike out "judges of the orphans court," and insert "chancellor."

Which were read.

The house adjourns till 5 o'clock.

POST MERIDIEM.

The house met.

Mr. S. Smith, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to streighten and amend the several public roads in the several counties, and for other purposes therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The house resumed the consideration of the order of the day, and having heard the witnesses on the part of the said society at the bar, adjourned till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, December 21, 1791.

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

The bill to empower the justices of Cæcil county to streighten and amend the public roads in said county, and to levy the expences attending the same on the assessable property of said county, and the resolution in favour of the officers of the Maryland line who did not complete the term of service limited by congress, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

The additional supplementary act to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, was read the second time and passed with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. Strike out the interlineation between the first and second lines of the enacting clause. Insert in the second line of the enacting clause, after the word "shore," the words "except Harford, Calvert, and Saint-Mary's counties."

Sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to alter the time of holding the levy court of Talbot county. ORDERED, That Mr. Kerr, Mr. Lecompte and Mr. Tilghman, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to revive and aid the proceedings of the orphans court of Dorchester county. ORDERED, That Mr. Goldsborough, Mr. Lecompte and Mr. Waggaman, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The bill to erect and establish an insurance fire company in Baltimore-town, in Baltimore county, and for other purposes, was read the second time, passed with the proposed amendments, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, the question was put, That leave be given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to extend the time for the late sheriffs and collectors to complete their several collections? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Bowie, appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Carroll,	Wilkinson,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Oldham,	Holland,	Douglass,	
Hopewell,	Chesley,	Ridgely,	Quynn,	J. P. Marshall,	S. Smith,	
T. Bond,	T. Gantt, jun.	Gough,	Duvall,	Burkhart,	M'Mechen,	
J. Ringgold,	Craik,	Cockey,	Seney,	Prall,	Swearinger,	
Comegys,	Hawkins,	Ecc'eston,	O'Bryon,	Love,	Beall,	
Scott,	M'Pherson,	Miller,	Barnes,	Wilson,	Jacob.	38.
J. Worthington,	Chapman,	R. Bond,				

Mesſrs.

NEGATIVE.

N. Worthington,	T. Marshall,	Oneale,	Turner,	Crespp,	Tomlinson.	6.
Bowie,	Dennis,					

Mesſrs.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

ORDERED, That Mr. O'Bryon, Mr. Seney and Mr. Barnes, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The house having gone through the report of the committee of grievances on the complaint of Ezekiel John Dorsey and Edward Dorsey, respecting the conduct of the society in Baltimore county, who style themselves The Maryland Society for promoting the Abolition of Slavery and the relief of free Negroes and others unlawfully held in Bondage, in supporting the petitions in the criminal court of Baltimore county, preferred by Jonathan, alias Fortune, against Ezekiel J. Dorsey, and Simon, alias David, against Edward Dorsey, and the witnesses produced by them, and having also heard the said