

The resolution respecting the stock of the United States belonging to this state, and, conditionally, authorising a transfer thereof, was read the second time and assented to.

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill respecting the debtors and creditors of this state, be committed to the committee on the report of the state agent to consider the same, and report the same with amendments, if requisite.

The amendments to the bill for the establishment of a warehouse at Beach Point, in Annapolis county, were read the second time, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

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

SATURDAY, December 24, 1791.

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

On motion, the question was put, That leave be given to bring in a bill to incorporate certain persons in every christian congregation within this state? Determined in the negative.

The bill to alter the times of holding the courts in the counties of this state, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill respecting the fees of the attorney-general and his deputies on executions in certain cases, was read the second time, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

ORDERED, That the order of the day be rescinded.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to authorise the justices of Prince-George's county to pay a sum of money for the support, maintenance and safe-keeping, of Mary Brown and Eleanor Love, two lunatics, endorsed; "By the senate, December 22, 1791: Read the first time and referred to lie on the table.

By order, H. RIDGELY, clk.

By the senate, December 23, 1791: Read the second time by especial order and will pass with the proposed amendment.

By order, H. RIDGELY, clk.

Amendment proposed. In the 5th line from the bottom strike out the word "of," and insert "not exceeding forty pounds current money."

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

On the second reading the supplement to the act directing the time, places and manner, of holding elections for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, and for appointing electors on the part of this state for choosing a president and vice-president of the United States, and for the regulation of the said elections, and also to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned, the question was put, That the following words in the said bill be struck out: Montgomery county, and that part of Frederick county adjacent as far as Monocacy, from the mouth thereof to the Pennsylvania line, the third; the remainder of Frederick county, Washington and Allegany counties, the fourth; and the following inserted in their place? Montgomery, Frederick, Washington, and Allegany counties, to be the third and fourth districts; the voters in Montgomery and Washington counties to vote for one delegate each for the third district, and the person who has the highest number of votes on the close of the polls in said counties to be the delegate for said district; the voters of Frederick and Allegany counties to vote for one person each for the fourth district, and the person who, on the close of the polls in said counties has the highest number of votes, to be the delegate for the fourth district. The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Key, appeared as follow:

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

McL. Tilghman,	Duval,	Key,	Beatty,	P. Smith,	Burkhart.	7.
Lowes,						
		N E G A T I V E.				
Carroll,	T. Harwood,	Denwood,	T. Marshall,	J. P. Marshall,	Ott,	
Thomas,	Craik,	Goldsbrough,	Clark,	Prall,	Swearingen,	
J. Ringgold,	Hawkins,	Frazier,	T. Gantt,	Love,	Owen,	
Scott,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Eccleston,	Seney,	Wilson,	Turner,	
J. Worthington,	Ridgely,	Miller,	O'Bryon,	Douglas,	Hall,	50
N. Worthington,	Cockey,	R. Bond,	Barnes,	Loockerman,	Grady,	
Wilkinson,	Sherwood,	Hollingsworth,	Dennis,	S. Smith,	Tompson,	
Chefley,	Kerr,	Oldham,	Holland,	M'Mechan,	Jacob.	50.
T. Gantt, jun.	Waggaman,					

So it was determined in the negative.

On progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the following be received as an amendment to the said bill? That the inhabitants of Frederick county added to the third district, by and they shall be entitled to vote for a delegate to congress at the following places, viz. Tarry town and Frederick-town, and that the sheriff of Frederick county be and he is hereby authorized and directed to open and hold polls at the said places for the said purpose, either in person or by deputy. The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Beatty, appeared as follow:

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

McL. Thomas,	Hawkins,	Denwood,	Barnes,	Burkhart,	S. Smith,	
Scott,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Lowes,	Key,	Prall,	M'Mechan,	
T. Gantt, jun.	Cockey,	R. Bond,	Beatty,	Douglas,	Hall,	
T. Harwood,	Tilghman,	Hollingsworth,	P. Smith,	Loockerman,		

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