

A petition from Thomas Brogden Hugo, late an officer in the Maryland line, praying half pay, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Duvall, Mr. Cox and Mr. J. Worthington, to consider and report thereon.

The report on the petition of William Brawner, was read the second time, and the question put, That the house concur therewith? Determined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the supplement to the act to restrain surveyors, to regulate certain proceedings in the land-office, and to compel the attendance of witnesses on surveys under the authority of the chancery, general, and county courts, endorsed; "By the senate, November 20, 1792: "Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, clk.

"By the senate, November 24, 1792: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendment.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, clk."

Amendment proposed. Strike out from the word "and" in the 9th line from the top of the 2d page to the end of the bill inclusive.

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

The report on the petition of Kinvin Wroth, junior, was read the second time, and the question put, That the house concur therewith? Determined in the negative.

The house adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, November 26, 1792.

THE house met. Present the same members as on Saturday, except Mr. Chapman, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Wootton, Mr. Gough and Mr. Bowie. The proceedings of Saturday were read. Mr. Quinn, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of John Lee Gibson, of Harford county, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true; and they find, that by a resolve of the last session the treasurer was directed to pay surplus interest to such purchasers of confiscated property as had discharged their bonds in final settlement certificates which had an interest due thereon previous to the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five. The committee are of opinion, that the prayer of the said petitioner ought to be granted; they therefore recommend the following resolution:

Whereas sundry debtors, in virtue of resolutions passed by the general assembly of this state, discharged their bonds and accounts in final settlement certificates, which had an interest due thereon previous to the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, and the said resolutions authorized a payment of such bonds and accounts in final settlement certificates, bearing an interest from the said first of January, and it is reasonable that such surplus should be allowed them; therefore, RESOLVED, That the trustee for the state of Maryland for the time being, be and is hereby directed to pay the amount of such surplus interest in three per cent. stock belonging to this state.

And, whereas it appears that the trustee for the state of Maryland has received the interest on the said three per cent. stock from the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two; RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby directed to pay the interest on the said three per cent. stock transferred in virtue of this resolution, from the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one, to the day of such transfers.

By order, C. WAYMAN, clk.

Which was read.

The bill to extend the several streets in Baltimore-town therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill for the preservation of the navigation of Rock creek, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of captain Thomas Brogden Hugo, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and believe the facts therein stated to be true, and are of opinion that he ought to be placed on the pension list, but that he ought to apply to the circuit court of the United States for the district of Maryland, to be placed on the pension list of the United States, agreeably to an act of the congress, at their last session, to provide for the settlement of the claims of the widows and orphans barred by the limitations heretofore established, and to regulate the claims to invalid pensions. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order, C. WAYMAN, clk.

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

On motion, ORDERED, That the committee appointed to examine and report the state of Washington college, be discharged.

The house resolved itself into a committee of the whole, to examine into the state of Washington college; Mr. Crabb in the chair. After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Chairman reported, that the committee had, according to order, taken into their consideration the subject matter referred to them, but not having had time to go through the same, had directed him to move for leave to sit again.

ORDERED, That this house will, on to-morrow, resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the purpose of taking into their further consideration the state of the said college.

ORDERED, That the order of the day be postponed until to-morrow.