

The question was then put, That the house sit from nine o'clock in the morning till five o'clock in the evening? Resolved in the affirmative.

The report on the petition of James Fennell, was read the second time, and the question put, That the house concur therewith? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Jamison, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Dorsey,	M'Pherson,	R. Bond,	Quynn,	Jarrett,	Davis,
	Ford,	Ridgely,	Miller,	Key,	M'Comas,	Brookes,
	Hopewell,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Hollingsworth,	Dennis,	Montgomery,	Luckett,
	Hebb,	H. Johnson,	Carnan,	Whittington,	Winchester,	J. Johnson,
	Brogden,	Harwood,	Wootton,	Robins,	Schnebely,	Cresap,
	Ridout,	Martin,	Sprigg,	Wilson,	Oneale,	Lynn.
			N E G A T I V E.			36.
Messieurs	J. Worthington,	Brome,	Kerr,	Gordon,	Baer,	Douglass,
	Hall,	Thomas,	Goldsbrough,	Craig,	Jamison,	Kerfner,
	Mackall,	Digges,	Carroll,	Kent,	Beatty,	Hughes,
	Horrell,	T. Worthington,	Nutter,	Earle,	Shriver,	Beall.
	Freeland,	Merryman,	Waggaman,	Brown,	Driver,	
			So it was resolved in the affirmative.			29.

On motion, the question was put, That the treasurer of the western shore be authorized, and he is hereby authorized and directed, to issue four certificates, of fifty pounds each, to James Fennell, on his giving bond, with such security, to repay the same, with interest, within three years from the issuing the same, as the governor and council shall approve of? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Brown, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Dorsey,	M'Pherson,	Gordon,	Sprigg,	M'Comas,	Brooks,
	Ford,	Ridgely,	R. Bond,	Quynn,	Montgomery,	Luckett,
	Hopewell,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Miller,	Key,	Winchester,	J. Johnson,
	Hebb,	H. Johnson,	Hollingsworth,	Dennis,	Schnebely,	Cresap,
	Brogden,	Harwood,	Carnan,	Robins,	Oneale,	Lynn.
	Ridout,	Martin,	Wootton,	Jarrett,	Davis,	
			N E G A T I V E.			35.
Messieurs	J. Worthington,	Brome,	Merryman,	Craig,	Baer,	Douglass,
	Hall,	Thomas,	Carroll,	Kent,	Jamison,	Kerfner,
	Mackall,	Digges,	Nutter,	Earle,	Shriver,	Hughes,
	Freeland,	T. Worthington,	Waggaman,	Brown,	Driver,	Beall.
	Horrell,					
			So it was resolved in the affirmative.			25.

Sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Douglass has leave of absence.

ORDERED, That the bill to enable Legh Master, of Frederick county, to devise certain estates therein mentioned, have a second reading on to-morrow.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Cornelius West, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true, and as the loss he has sustained by his contract was not produced by any negligence or inattention on his part, but from causes set forth in his petition, and as he has, under all his difficulties, completed the work to the entire satisfaction of his employers, and the public in general, the committee are of opinion that a compensation ought to be made to him by the state and county of Talbot, and that a law ought to pass for that purpose. All which is submitted.

By order,

A. GOLDBER, clk.

Which was read.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry inhabitants of Harford county, report, that they have examined the allegations contained in said petition, and find the facts therein stated to be true, and are of opinion a law ought to pass as prayed for in said petition. All which is submitted to the house.

By order,

J. O'BRYON, 3d. clk.

Which was read.

The clerk of the senate delivers the resolution respecting the bank stock, endorsed; "By the senate, December 11, 1794: Read the first and second time by especial order and assented to.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk."

The bill to revive and aid the proceedings of the orphans court of Calvert county, endorsed; "By the senate, December 5, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk.

"By the senate, December 11, 1794: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution relative to the election of a senator of the United States, endorsed; "By the senate, December 11, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk.

"By