

some time returned and reported, that the honourable John Henry had a majority of votes of the attending members of both houses. Whereupon,

**RESOLVED**, That the honourable John Henry be, and he is hereby declared to be, duly elected to represent this state in the senate of the United States.

Mr. Gale, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to repeal so much of the act for quieting possessions, enrolling conveyances, and securing the estates of purchasers, as requires that deeds of bargain and sale should be indented; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. J. Johnson brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the further supplement to an act respecting the settlers on the reserved lands westward of Fort Cumberland, as amended; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill to establish a bank, and incorporate the subscribers thereto, was read the second time, agreeably to the order of the day, and the question put, That the said bill do pass with the proposed amendments? The yeas and nays being required by three members, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E.					
Messieurs	Mackall,	T. Worthington,	H. Johnson,	R. Bond,	Kent,	Montgomery,	
	Freeland,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Harwood,	Miller,	Shriver,	M <sup>c</sup> Kim,	
	Thomas,	Merryman,	Gale,	Hollingsworth,	Jarrett,	Winchester.	23.
	Ridgely,	Kerr,	Gordon,	Carnan,	M <sup>c</sup> Comas,		
		N E G A T I V E.					
Messieurs	Ford,	Brome,	Martin,	Brown,	Beatty,	Oneale,	
	Hopewell,	M <sup>c</sup> Pherfon,	Craig,	Dennis,	Driver,	Davis,	
	Hebb,	Digges,	Wootton,	Whittington,	Douglafs,	Luckett,	
	Spencer,	Goldsbrough,	Sprigg,	Robins,	J. Clarke,	J. Johnson,	
	Barroll,	Carroll,	Quynn,	Wilson,	Schnebely,	Cresap,	
	J. Worthington,	Nutter,	Key,	Baer,	Kersner,	Lynn,	
	Ridout,	Waggaman,	Earle,	Jamison,	Hughes,	Beall.	44.
	Hall,	Frazier,					

So it was determined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers a letter from his excellency the Governor, of this day, notifying the wishes of Thomas Walley, the adopted child of this state, to leave the college, and to enter on the study of the law, endorsed; "By the senate, December 16, 1794: Read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk."

Which was read, and referred to Mr. Key, Mr. Sprigg and Mr. J. Worthington, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Horrell is excused for absenting himself without leave.

On motion, **ORDERED**, That the bill relating to public roads in this state, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, have a second reading on to-morrow morning.

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

## W E D N E S D A Y, December 17, 1794.

**T**HE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion by Mr. M<sup>c</sup>Kim, seconded by Mr. Winchester, Leave given to bring in a bill to repeal an act, entitled, An act to regulate auctions in Baltimore-town. **ORDERED**, That Mr. M<sup>c</sup>Kim, Mr. Ridgely, of William, and Mr. Winchester, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The report on the petition of sundry inhabitants of the town of Salisbury, was read the second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. **ORDERED**, That Mr. Dennis, Mr. Carroll, Mr. Waggaman and Mr. Nutter, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

On motion, **ORDERED**, That the bill to enable the inhabitants of Christ Church parish, in Queen-Anne's county, to elect vestrymen and churchwardens for said parish, be withdrawn.

A petition from Thomas Ewing, of Cæcil county, praying restitution for monies paid for fees on a suit commenced by the state against him, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee of grievances, to consider and report thereon.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to erect a town in Queen-Anne's county, endorsed; "By the senate, December 15, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk.

"By the senate, December 16, 1794: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk."

The bill to extend the time for the collection of the county taxes of Saint-Mary's county, endorsed; "By the senate, December 16, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk.

"By the senate, December 16, 1794: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.