

The bill in favour of Samuel Turbutt Wright, of Queen Anne's county, the bill to empower Henry Hunt, late sheriff and collector of Calvert county, to collect the balances due to him in the said county, severally endorsed; "By the senate, December 10, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 13, 1795: Read the second time and will not pass.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk."

The bill to repeal part of the act of assembly therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, December 12, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 13, 1795: Read the second time by especial order and will not pass.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk."

The bill to revive and aid the proceedings of Calvert county court, endorsed; "By the senate, December 14, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 14, 1795: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to public roads in this state, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, December 11, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 14, 1795: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk."

Amendments proposed. Second page, 4th line from the bottom of section A, strike out the words "any thing." At the end of the 3d page, add the following clause: "And be it enacted, That in all cases where any of the said roads shall be let out to be completed or repaired on contract, it shall and is hereby declared to be the duty of the levy court of the county within which such road shall lie, to appoint some person or persons to view such road, and report to them whether the same shall have been completed according to the terms of such contract, before the said court shall be authorized in virtue thereof to pay for the same; provided, that nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to prevent the said levy courts respectively from making such advances of money to such contractor or contractors, for completing or repairing the said roads, as they in their discretion shall think necessary." At the end of the bill, insert "And, whereas the provisions of this act, and the act to which this is a supplement, extend to the county of Somerset, but do not extend to the county of Worcester, and it is thereby rendered uncertain in what manner the road that divides the said counties ought to be kept up and repaired; for ascertaining whereof, Be it enacted, That the said road from the line of Delaware on the north to the middle of the north branch of Tondotank creek, where it crosses the same, shall be kept up and repaired by the county of Somerset as other public roads of said county are, and from the middle of said branch the said road southerly to the extent thereof shall be kept up and repaired by the county of Worcester as other public roads of said county are."

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

The further supplement to an act, entitled, An act to freighten and amend the public roads in Harford county, and for other purposes, endorsed; "By the senate, December 4, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 13, 1795: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk."

Amendments proposed. In the 5th line of the 2d page, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof "seven." Second page, 8th line, after the word "court" insert "if they shall approve of the same."

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

The additional supplementary act to the act, entitled, An act for the marking of highways, and making the heads of rivers, creeks, branches and swamps, passable for horse and foot, endorsed; "By the senate, December 8, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 13, 1795: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk."

Amendments proposed. In the 4th line, 1st page, strike out the word "authorising" and insert "authorize." 3d page, 7th and 8th lines, strike out the words "employ an able-bodied labourer in his stead to perform the several services of him required by this act," and insert "may pay to the overseers of the road the sum of three shillings and nine-pence current money per day for every day he shall be called upon to labour on the public roads, to be employed by him in procuring labourers to work upon the road, and it shall be the duty of the overseer annually to account with the levy court of his county for all sums of money which he shall receive in virtue of this act."

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