

The report on the petition of sundry inhabitants of Worcester county, was read the second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That Mr. Robins, Mr. Dennis and Mr. Whittington, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The bill to empower Charles Hodson to collect the balances due him as sheriff and collector of Dorchester county, was read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill for the more effectual preservation of the breed of wild deer, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Oneale, 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 Prince-George's and Montgomery counties, report, that they have had the same under consideration, and are of opinion that a road, as prayed for, from George-town to Schoolfield's and Carr's merchant mills, is fully provided for by the act 1785, chap. 49, and are of opinion that a continuation of said road from the afore-mentioned mills until it intersects the post road at or near the Piney branch, is entirely unnecessary. All which is submitted.

By order,

A. GOLDER, clk.

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

On motion, ORDERED, That George Wallace have leave to withdraw his petition.

The supplement to the act for the valuation of real and personal property within this state, was read the second time, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Mackall,	Sherwood,	Calvert,	C. Frazier,	Mitchell,	Brooke,
	Brome,	Carroll,	T. Bowie,	Brother,	Clarke,	J. Johnson,
	Ridgely, of Wm.	Hyland,	Quynn,	Beatty,	Winchester,	Lynn,
	Merryman,	Hollingworth,	Brown,	Shriver,	M'Meichen,	Beall.
	Martin,	R. Bond,				26.
N E G A T I V E.						
Messieurs	W. Thomas,	Ridout,	Parnham,	Steele,	Whittington,	Montgomery,
	Hopewell,	Hall,	M'Pherson,	Robertson,	Corbin,	M'Comas,
	Barroll,	Horrell,	Digges,	Ward,	Baer,	Burgess,
	Pinkney,	Chesley,	Ridgely,	O'Bryon,	J. Bond,	Oneale.
	J. Worthington,	J. Thomas,	Nutter,	Robins,		28.

So it was determined in the negative.

Mr. Robins, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act authorising the laying out certain roads in Worcester county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

T H U R S D A Y, December 17, 1795.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The amendments to the bill to open a road from George-town to a bridge to be erected over the river Patowmack at or near the little falls, were read the second time, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

A petition from William Goldsmith, of Anne-Arundel county, praying a further time to complete his collection as sheriff and collector of Anne-Arundel county, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Ridout, Mr. Hall and Mr. J. Worthington, to consider and report thereon.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to ascertain the allowance of the members of the general assembly, endorsed; "By the senate, November 26, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 16, 1795: Read the second time and will not pass.

"By order,

H. WARFIELD, clk."

The bill authorising the laying out certain roads in Worcester county, was read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Burgess, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and open a road from the crossing place on Little Monocacy to Zachariah Maccubbin's mill on Seneca, and from thence to intersect the main road leading from Frederick-town to George-town and the city of Washington at or near the place called Log-town; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A representation from the visitors and governors of Saint-John's college, with an account of their receipts during the last year, and the sums of money paid since their last annual report for the salaries of professors and masters, and for the maintenance of poor boys of promising genius, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Pinkney, Mr. Ridout and Mr. Parnham, to consider and report thereon.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of William Goldsmith, late sheriff and collector of Anne-Arundel county, praying an extension of time for completing his collections, report, that