

It also appears to your committee, that William Marbury, Esquire, agent, has, by virtue of an act entitled, An act to appoint an agent for the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, and deposited in the treasury bonds to the amount of £ 125,750.

Your committee beg leave further to report, that by the resolutions of last session time was made on the first day of October, 1780, to the holders of the emissions of June, 1780, and the certificates issued under the acts of assembly of this state, to bring them in for payment; it appears, as before stated, that the sum of £ 1049 10 3 only has been brought in and discharged; and it appearing to your committee that there is the sum of £ 14282 0 0 in principal and interest of said emissions in circulation, and a considerable sum of certificates outstanding, the specific amount of which cannot at this time be ascertained; and it also appearing to your committee that there is the sum of £ 8000 0 0 in the treasury, received on account of the funds appropriated for the redemption of said emissions and certificates, your committee therefore beg leave to suggest the propriety of extending the time for the redemption of the said emissions and certificates.

S. MAYNARD, CLK.

Which was read.

ORDERED, That the printer to the state strike one hundred copies of the said report, and treasurer's account, for the use of the general assembly.

Mr. Beall, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Andrew M'Clary, of Allegany county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Robert Amos, junior, sheriff of Harford county, praying to be released from nine per cent. interest, which he has incurred on a balance due from him to the state, was preferred, read, and referred, to Mr. Jarrett, Mr. M'Comas and Mr. Dallam, to consider and report thereon.

The bill to repeal part of an act, entitled, An act to incorporate an insurance company in Baltimore-town, and to enable any one company or stockholder in said company to hold a greater number of shares therein than by said act it is now permitted any one company or person to hold, was read the second time, and passed.

A petition from Sarah Weems Allein, of Prince-George's county, praying the state to release her right to a certain mill taken for debt due from her husband to the state, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. J. Magruder, Mr. Addison, Mr. Calvert, Mr. A. Buchanan and Mr. Duckett, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Leigh, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Susanna Carroll, of Saint-Mary's county, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petitioner is reasonable, and ought to be granted. All which is submitted to the house.

By order,

R. K. WATTS, CLK.

Which was read the first and second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That the committee appointed on said petition prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Ridgely, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Joshua and Jacob Lemmon, of Baltimore county, executors of the last will and testament of Jacob Lemmon, of said county, deceased, report, that in their opinion the facts set forth in the said petition are true, and that the prayer of the petitioners ought to be granted.

By order,

R. K. WATTS, CLK.

Which was read.

The bill to enable the vestry of Saint-Paul's parish, in Baltimore county, to dispose of the land therein mentioned; and to purchase other lands to be used as burial-grounds, was read the second time, and passed.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of the upper part of Allegany county, praying that the Virginians may be prevented from driving large herds of cattle through their settlements, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Bruce, Mr. Simkins and Mr. Riley, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick and Washington counties, praying an act may pass to prevent all persons from bringing cattle or hogs to range in the South Mountain, unless it be holders of land in the said Mountain, and that they shall not send more cattle or hogs to graze than their lands will support during the winter season, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition of sundry inhabitants of the upper part of Allegany county.

A petition from Henry Stevenfon, of Baltimore city, praying to be restored to certain lands which he was entitled to as tenant by the courtesy, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Quynn, Mr. Tilghman and Mr. A. Buchanan, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Young, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Francis Sellers, William Smith, Henry Nichols, the third, Samuel Barrow and Henry Downes, of Caroline county, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true, and as the happiness and prosperity of the state of Maryland depend much on the proper education of youth, and that it is the interest and duty of the state to assist, with legislative countenance, every attempt to promote and disseminate useful knowledge, they therefore are of opinion that an act should pass agreeable to the prayer of the said petitioners. All which is submitted.

By order,

J. HARWOOD, CLK.

Which was read.

Mr. Mackall, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for marking of highways, and making the heads of rivers, creeks, branches