

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, November, 1798.

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

The report on the petition of Mary Morrison was read the 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.

The bill for the relief of Mary Yeifer, was read the second time, and passed.

Mr. Montgomery, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to empower the levy court of Harford county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned; which was read the first and second time by especial order, and passed.

The house adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

MONDAY, December 31, 1798.

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

The bill for the relief of Mary Yeifer, and the bill to empower the levy court of Harford county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to enable the trustees of Cokesbury college to dispose of the effects of said college for the purpose therein mentioned. ORDERED, That Mr. A. Buchanan, Mr. Carroll and Mr. Wallace, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Thomas appeared in the house.

The bill to authorize the register of the land-office to correct the patent therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

On the second reading the bill to incorporate a school in Allegany county, by the name of Allegany County School, the question was put, That the following clause be received as an amendment to the said bill? "And be it enacted, That the treasurer of the western shore shall pay to the aforesaid trustees, or their order, annually, as a public donation, the sum of two hundred dollars, for the purposes of education, the first payment whereof shall be made on the first day of October next, for the use and encouragement of the school aforesaid, the sum of two hundred dollars to be applied at the discretion of the trustees aforesaid." The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

<b>A F F I R M A T I V E.</b>						
Messrs	Leigh,	Mackall,	Edmondson,	Addison,	E. K. Wilson,	Clarke,
	Barber,	Taney,	Benson,	J. Magruder,	Warfield,	Young,
	Greenwell,	Bourne,	Hyland,	Calvert,	Gwinn,	A. Buchanan,
	Neale,	Brome,	Winder,	Duckett,	Thomas,	W. Wilson,
	Barrall,	Parnham,	Steuart,	Quynn,	Bruce,	Cresap, of M.
	Filghman,	T. Buchanan,	S. Frazier,	Key,	Montgomery,	Cresap, of D.
	Dunn,	M'Pherson,	Miller,	J. Brown,	Dallam,	Beall,
	Worthington,	Carroll,	Hollingworth,	Nicholson,	Potter,	Simkins. 521
	Harwood,	Lemmon,	David,	Wright,		
			Wallace,	Purnell,	R. Magruder,	Riley,
Messrs	E. Brown,	Jones,	C. Frazier,	Jarrett,	Swearingen,	Summers. 16.
	Sherwood,	Pattison,	Corbin,	Kershner,		
	Nabb,	Keene,				

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill to appoint an agent for the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The following message being prepared, was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate, with the bill to authorize and empower the levy court of Montgomery county to assess and levy a sum of money for the support of Catharine Lanham, by the clerk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 31, 1798.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE,

WE send you back the bill in favour of Catharine Lanham, of Montgomery county, accompanying her petition, with a certificate annexed thereto, as we expect you were not acquainted with the situation of the petitioner; we therefore hope you will reconsider and pass the bill.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

On motion, the question was put, That the house reconsider the bill to prevent the going at large of swine within three miles of George-town, in Montgomery county? Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the said bill do pass with the following message?

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 31, 1798.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE,

WE return you the bill, entitled, An act to prevent the going at large of swine within three miles of George-town, in Montgomery county, which has passed our house with the proposed amendments: Strike out the words "kill or" in the 8th line, and the words "killed or" in the 9th line, and the words "killing or" in the 11th line, and insert the following clause between the