

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, November, 1798.

Mr. Tilghman, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to empower the levy court of Cecil county to lay out a road from Thomas Wallace's mills at Oclararo creek to the brick meeting-house in said county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Leigh, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act relating to the records in the clerk's office in Saint-Mary's county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. A. Buchanan, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to enable the trustees of Cokesbury college to dispose of the effects of said college for the purpose therein mentioned; which was read the first and second time by especial order, and passed.

Mr. M'Pherson, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the bill to regulate the inspection of tobacco; which was read the first time.

ORDERED, That the same be referred to the next session of assembly.

Mr. Young, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report: THE committee to whom was referred the petition of a number of the inhabitants of Caroline county, praying that an act may pass to erect a village at Tuckahoe bridge in said county, and to prevent the going at large of geese and swine therein, beg leave to report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petitioners is reasonable, and ought to be granted. All which is submitted.

By order,

L: GASSAWAY, 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 the said petition prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Ridgely, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the establishment of the levy courts in the several counties of this state; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for the encouragement of learning in the several counties in this state, and to establish an uniform system of education, and the bill to enable the trustees of Cokesbury college to dispose of the effects of said college for the purpose therein mentioned, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, the question was put, That the further consideration of the bill to incorporate a company for the purpose of cutting and making a canal between the river Delaware and the Chelapeake bay, be postponed till the next session of assembly? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Worthington,	E. Brown,	Steuart,	Corbin,	Dallam,	Kerchner,
Hall,	Ridgely,	Pattison,	E. K. Wilson,	Potter,	Cellar,
Bourne,	Carroll,	Keene,	Purnell,	Young,	Geoghegan,
Brome,	Lemmon,	S. Frazier,	Jarrett,	A. Buchanan,	Riley,
T. Buchanan,	Nabb,	Miller,	Montgomery,	W. Wilson,	Beall.
M'Pherson,	Jones,	Wallace,			33.

N E G A T I V E.

Leigh,	Barber,	Hollingsworth,	Duckett,	Gwinn,	Swearingen,
Greenwell,	Parnham,	David,	J. Brown,	Thomas,	Cresap, of M.
Neale,	Sherwood,	Addison,	C. Frazier,	Bruce,	Cresap, of D.
Barroll,	Edmondson,	J. Magruder,	Wright,	Summers,	Simkins,
Tilghman,	Benfon,	Calvert,	Warfield,	R. Magruder,	Hyland.
Dunn,	Steele,				32.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On the second reading of the resolutions proposing amendments to the constitution of the United States, the question was put, That the following resolution be received as an amendment to the said resolutions, viz.

RESOLVED, That no person shall be eligible to any civil office of profit or trust under the constitution of the United States, except a natural born citizen, or unless he shall have been a resident in the United States at the time of the declaration of independence, or naturalized and admitted a citizen at the time of making this amendment to the constitution; provided, that nothing in the amendment shall exclude foreigners from being appointed consuls."

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Leigh,	Taney,	Steele,	Duckett,	Dallam,	Geoghegan,
Barber,	Sherwood,	S. Frazier,	Quynn,	Potter,	Summers,
Greenwell,	Nabb,	Miller,	C. Frazier,	Clarke,	R. Magruder,
Sherwood,	Edmondson,	Wallace,	Thomas,	W. Wilson,	Swearingen,
Hill,	Benfon,	Addison,	Jarrett,	Kerchner,	Riley.
Beckall,	Steuart,	J. Magruder,	M'Comas,	Cellar,	35.

N E G A T I V E.

Barroll,	Brome,	Ridgely,	Keene,	Corbis,	Montgomery,
Tilghman,	Parnham,	Carroll,	Hollingsworth,	E. K. Wilson,	Young,
Dunn,	T. Buchanan,	Lemmon,	David,	Warfield,	A. Buchanan,
Worthington,	M'Pherson,	Jones,	Key,	Gwinn,	Cresap, of D.
Bourne,	E. Brown,	Hyland,	Wright,	Bruce,	Simkins.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

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