

therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, December 21, 1798: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, January 5, 1799: Read the second time and will pass. A. VAN-HORN, clk.

Ordered to be engrossed. "By order, A. VAN-HORN, clk."

A bill, entitled, An act to alter, change and abolish, such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state as vacates the appointment and power of the several persons therein referred to, endorsed; "By the senate, January 2, 1799: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, January 4, 1799: Read the second time and will pass. A. VAN-HORN, clk.

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. A. VAN-HORN, clk."

The bill to authorise a lottery in Middle-town, in Frederick county, the bill to authorise a lottery in Baltimore county to complete the house of public worship therein mentioned, severally endorsed; "By the senate, November 22, 1798: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, December 12, 1798: Read the second time and will not pass. A. VAN-HORN, clk.

The bill to authorise a lottery in Kent county for the purpose of raising a sum of money to complete and finish the chapel in Shrewsbury parish, endorsed; "By the senate, December 7, 1798: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, January 5, 1799: Read the second time and will not pass. A. VAN-HORN, clk.

The bill to authorise a lottery in Elizabeth-town, in Washington county, and the bill to authorise a lottery in Frederick-town, in Frederick county, severally endorsed; "By the senate, November 22, 1798: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, January 5, 1799: Read the second time and will not pass. A. VAN-HORN, clk.

"By order, A. VAN-HORN, clk."

The house adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, January 7, 1799.

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

The resolutions in favour of William Ferguson and John Usher Charlton, and the bill to repeal certain clauses in the act, entitled, An act for the better administration of justice in testamentary affairs, granting administrations, recovery of legacies, securing filial portions and distribution of intestates estates, also in the act, entitled, An additional and supplementary act to the several acts for the administration of justice in testamentary affairs, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill supplementary to the act, entitled, A supplement to the act for the establishment and regulation of levy courts in the several counties of this state, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate, with a proposed amendment, by the clerk.

A petition from John Roberts, and others, of Baltimore city, praying they may be authorised to lease certain property for the term of ninety-nine years, renewable for ever, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Edmondson, Mr. Ridgely and Mr. Lemmon, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Harwood, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report: THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Judith Doyle report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true; they are therefore of opinion that the prayer thereof ought to be granted. All which is submitted.

By order, R. K. WATTS, clk.

Which was read. Mr. Warfield, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report: THE committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry inhabitants of Lower Monocacy hundred, in Frederick county, praying that a road may be opened in a direction stated in said petition, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion a law ought to pass according to the prayer of said petitioners.

By order, J. F. HARRIS, 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. Geoghegan, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report: THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Ralph Ormiston, of Washington county, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion the prayer of said petitioner is reasonable, and ought to be granted.

By order, L. GASSAWAY, clk.