

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1801.

That your committee find by the last report there was the sum of £ 2786 11 10 of the emissions of bills of credit made by an act of congress of the 18th of March, 1780, remaining in the treasury, paid in on account of British creditors, which sum still remains in the treasury.

That it appears to your committee, Henry Hall Harwood, Esquire, agent, has, in virtue of an act to appoint an agent for the year one thousand eight hundred and one, taken and deposited in the treasury bonds to the amount of £ 733 19 4.

All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

Z. DUVALL, Jun. Clk:

ORDERED, That the printer to the state strike one hundred copies for the use of the general assembly.

Mr. Lowes, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for changing part of the divisional road between Somerset and Worcester counties; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Lowes, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to prevent swine from going at large in the town of Salisbury, in Somerset and Worcester counties; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Henry Drinker, of the state of Pennsylvania, stating, that he has the equitable right under a mortgage from Jesse Reynolds to certain lands, being part of the Conaught manor, and praying the relief formerly given to holders of the land aforesaid, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Nelson, Mr. Miller, Mr. Mackall, Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Chapman, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from the methodist episcopal church, and others, inhabitants of Kent county, praying an act may pass authorizing the petitioners to erect a meeting-house on such part of the public ground in Chester-town as proper persons may think proper to designate, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Houston, Mr. Scott, Mr. Lowrey, Mr. Burges, Mr. Van-Horn, Mr. Hanson and Mr. Cresap, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Kemp, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to open a road from below a point of rocks in the Catoctin mountain to widow Kemp's mill; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Scott has leave of absence for a few days.

The following message being prepared, was sent to the senate by the clerk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 5, 1801.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE,

WE have appointed Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Harwood and Mr. T. Davis, a committee on the part of this house, to join such gentlemen as you may nominate, to form a committee of both houses to compare and examine all bills from time to time during this session as soon as they be severally engrossed.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Mr. Montgomery, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the memorial of John B. Onion report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true; they are therefore of opinion the relief prayed for ought to be granted, and submit the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to John B. Onion, executor of Beriah Maybury, the sum of one hundred and eighty-two pounds ten shillings current money, with interest thereon from the twenty-seventh day of November, seventeen hundred and ninety-four, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury.

By order,

J. HARWOOD, clk.

Which was read.

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

F R I D A Y, November 6, 1801.

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

Mr. Samuel Carr, a delegate returned for Prince-George's county, and Mr. Charles Goldsborough, a delegate returned for Dorchester county, appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government, and taking the oath to support the constitution of the United States, took their seats in the house.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from the auditor, enclosing accounts from the 1st November, 1800, to the 1st November, 1801; which was read.

The speaker laid before the house the proved account of the examiner of the eastern shore. ORDERED, That Mr. Chapman, Mr. Steele and Mr. Martin, be a committee to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry sheriffs of the western shore, praying a revision of the fee bill, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Harwood, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Jones, Mr. Orrell and Mr. Douglass, to consider and report thereon.