

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Josiah Lee, of Harford county, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true, and are of opinion that he merits the indulgent interference of the legislature from the oppressive proceedings which have been against him, and that the prayer of his petition ought to be granted; they therefore submit the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the interest due upon the judgments recovered by the state against Josiah Lee, Samuel Lee, John Lee Gibson, and the executors of Ignatius Wheeler, in the several suits instituted against them, be and the same is hereby released to Josiah Lee, and the treasurer of the western shore is hereby authorized and requested, in the settlement of said judgments, to deduct the interest therefrom, and to refund the same to the said Josiah Lee.

By order,

C. GIBSON, clk.

Which was read.

On motion, the question was put, That the house reconsider the further supplement to an act, entitled, An act to erect Baltimore town into a city, and to incorporate the inhabitants thereof, passed at November session, 1796? Resolved in the affirmative.

Upon reconsideration, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Angier, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Mary Faulkner, of Kent county, a lunatic; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to negroes, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, was read the second time by especial order, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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

Hamon,	Merriken,	Goldborough,	Quynn,	Hawkins,	Orrell,	Smith,
Thomas,	Stanbury,	Anderfon,	Ridgely,	Kemp,	Maf'n,	Cedar,
Angier,	Moore,	Keene,	Quinton,	Montgomery,	Tillotson,	T. Davis,
Harwood,	Lemmon,	Miller,	Furnell,	Forwood,	Scott,	J. Tomlinson,
W. Dorley,	Love,	Moffit,	Sariver,	Lytle,	Dickson,	Simkins.
L. Dorley,	Holbrook,					37-

N E G A T I V E.

R. Neale,	Carcaud,	M'Pherfon,	Dashiell,	Bowie,	Carr,	Swearingen,
Hebb,	P. Stuart,	Lowes,	Steele,	Wood,	Van-Horn,	B. Tomlinson.
Holland,	Jones,	Hyland,				17.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Anderfon, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of insolvent debtors, passed in the year 1774; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the senate delivers the resolution in favour of Peregrine Briscoe, endorsed; "By the senate, December 26, 1801: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 28, 1801: Read the second time and assented to with the proposed amendment.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

Which amendment was read the first and second time and agreed to.

The resolution in favour of William Singleton and George Johnson, endorsed; "By the senate, December 22, 1801: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 26, 1801: Read the second time and assented to with the proposed amendment.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

Which amendment was read the first and second time and agreed to.

The resolution in favour of Philip Fisher, endorsed; "By the senate, December 26, 1801: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 28, 1801: Read the second time and dissented from.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

The resolution in favour of Sarah Jones, endorsed; "By the senate, December 25, 1801: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 28, 1801: Read the second time and dissented from.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

The resolution respecting the government house, endorsed; "By the senate, December 26, 1801: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 28, 1801: Read the second time and assented to.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."