

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1802. 19

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Charles Gardiner, of Charles county, report, that they have had the same under their consideration, and believe the facts therein stated to be true, they are therefore of opinion, that as the petitioner has paid into the treasury the sum of three hundred and seventy-one pounds six shillings and ten-pence half-penny, in consequence of his father having been security for Benjamin Cawood, former sheriff and collector of public taxes for Charles county, who is since insolvent, it would be reasonable and just to indulge the petitioner for the balance due until the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and three ; they therefore submit the following resolution :

RESOLVED, That all proceedings against Charles Gardiner, and others, for the recovery of the balance due by him to the state of Maryland, be and they are hereby suspended until after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and three, and that the said Charles Gardiner be and he is hereby indulged in the payment of the said balance till the period before mentioned ; provided, that the judgment aforesaid shall continue and be in full force, notwithstanding the suspension of proceedings directed by this resolution, and if the balance that will then be due on the aforesaid judgment be not paid by the time aforesaid, an execution may again be issued against the said Charles Gardiner to enforce the payment thereof.

By order,

J. HARWOOD, clk.

Which was read.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of William Gardiner, of Charles county, report, that they have had the same under their consideration, and believe the facts therein stated to be true ; they are therefore of opinion, that as the petitioner has paid into the treasury the sum of four hundred and ninety-six pounds five shillings and three-pence, in consequence of his father having been security for Benjamin Cawood, former sheriff and collector of public taxes for Charles county, who is since insolvent, it would be reasonable and just to indulge the petitioner for the balance due until the first day of December, eighteen hundred and three ; they therefore submit the following resolution :

RESOLVED, That all proceedings against William Gardiner, and others, for the recovery of the balance due by him to the state of Maryland, be and they are hereby suspended until after the first day of December, eighteen hundred and three, and that the said William Gardiner be and he is hereby indulged in the payment of the said balance till the period before mentioned ; provided, that the judgment aforesaid shall continue and be in full force, notwithstanding the suspension of proceedings directed by this resolution, and if the balance that will then be due on the aforesaid judgment be not paid by the time aforesaid, an execution may again be issued against the said William Gardiner to enforce the payment thereof.

By order,

J. HARWOOD, clk.

Which was read.

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

T U E S D A Y, November 16, 1802.

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

Mr. Dorsey, Mr. Grahame and Mr. Purviance, appeared in the house.

Petitions from William Everard and Jacob Mordecai, of the city of Baltimore, and Robert Rolle, of Dorchester county, praying acts of insolvency, were preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

Mr. Nicholas R. Moore, a delegate returned for Baltimore 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 his seat in the house.

The bill to lay out and open a road from the main road leading from the head of Chester to the head of Sassafras, in Kent county, to the Delaware line, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill to lay out a road from M'Calister's plantation to Elisha and David Gorsuch's mill, and from thence to John Rutledge's plantation, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Van-Horn, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of William Thomas, of Prince-George's county ; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of John Gassaway, register of wills of Anne-Arundel county, report, that they have taken the same under consideration, and are of opinion that a law should pass authorising and enabling the levy court of Anne-Arundel county to assess a sum of money, not exceeding one thousand dollars, for the purpose of erecting a repository for the reception and safe keeping of the records and proceedings belonging to the office of register of wills of Anne-Arundel county. All which is submitted.

By order,

L. GASSAWAY, clk.

Which was read.

A petition