

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1802.

and banished, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Dickson, Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Love, to consider and report thereon.

The report on the petition of Thomas Nicholls, of Simon, of Montgomery county, was read the second time, and the question put, That the house assent to the resolution therein contained? Determined in the negative.

Mr. Chapman, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to revive and continue the acts of assembly therein mentioned; which was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, ORDERED, That John Trueman, door-keeper to the house of delegates, be allowed on the journal of accounts sixty dollars, for taking care of the house of delegates chamber during the recess of the legislature.

On motion, ORDERED, That the committee of claims allow to the reverend Mr. Wyatt the sum of eighty dollars, for his services as chaplain during the present session, and that the same be placed on the journal of accounts.

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Keene be added to the committee on the petition of William Bonner, in the room of Mr. Steele, who is excused.

Mr. Quynn, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill to empower Isaac Purnell to erect a mill or mills on Choptank river, in Caroline county, was read the second time, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of William Bonner, of Dorchester county, praying the general assembly to confirm his title to a tract of land lying in the said county called the Widow's Purchase, which was heretofore purchased by him of a certain Joseph Daffin for a valuable consideration, to which land it is stated a claim has lately been set up by Mrs. Anne Muse and Miss Elizabeth Ennalls, and a suit brought for the recovery thereof, on account of a supposed defect of title in the said Joseph Daffin, report, that in their opinion the legislature ought not to decide questions of title between individuals, nor to interfere with suits brought for the recovery of rights acquired or claimed under the existing laws of the state.

By order,

D. G. HOPPER, clk.

Which was read the first and second time and concurred with.

The engrossed bills Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 97, 98, 100, were read and assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, by the clerk.

The resolution relative to Robert Orrell and John Hardcastle was read the second time, and the question put, That the words "and that the charge of fabrication and malevolence made by the said John Young in his memorial against the said Robert Orrell and John Hardcastle is unfounded and highly improper," be stricken out of the said resolution? Determined in the negative.

The previous question was then called for and put, That the said question be now put? Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the house assent to the said resolution? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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

Angier, Hatcheson, Dorsey, Merriken, Hall,	Moore, Stansbury, Love, Lemmon, Lloyd,	Rose, Sheredine, Miller, Alexander, Veazey,	Bowie, Wood, Van-Horn, Carr,	Ridgely, Thompson, Hawkins, Kemp,	Montgomery, Forwood, E. Davis, Lytle,	Parviance, Dickson, Smith, Tilghman.	31.
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## N E G A T I V E.

W. Neale, Frisby, Harwood, Blake,	Grahame, Somervell, Bourne, Jones,	Chapman, M'Pherson, Dashiell, Cottman,	Hyland, Goldsborough, Keene, Steele,	Quynn, Quinton, Purnell, Wilson,	Swearingen, T. Davis, Selby, Veatch,	Bayard, Simkins, Tomlinson, Cresap.	28.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On the second reading of the bill to incorporate certain persons in every church or congregation in this state, the question was put, That the eleventh clause of the said bill be stricken out? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the following words be stricken out of the said clause? to wit: "as assumes a division of this state within metes and bounds for the purposes of the protestant episcopal church, and so much of said act." The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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

W. Neale, Harwood, Hall, Blake, Grahame,	Somervell, Bourne, Jones, Chapman, M'Pherson,	Dashiell, Cottman, Hyland, Goldsborough, Steele,	Veazey, Bowie, Carr, Quynn,	Ridgely, Quinton, Purnell, Wilson,	Tilghman, Swearingen, T. Davis, Selby,	Veatch, Simkins, Tomlinson, Cresap.	31.
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