

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1803. 17

And the bill authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for finishing a house of worship in Baltimore county, endorsed; "By the senate, November 16, 1803: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, November 18, 1803: Read the second time and will pass. J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Ridgely, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act relating to distresses, and the sale of goods taken by distress for rent, and for other purposes; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Lemmon, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and streighten a certain road in Baltimore county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick county, praying that they may be released from certain fines imposed on them under the militia law, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Clarke, Mr. Van-Horn and Mr. Hawkins, to consider and report thereon.

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

Mr. Bayard, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act relative to lost land warrants; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Sheredine, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act authorising a lottery for raising a sum of money to repair a church, and erect a parsonage-house, in Cæcil county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of defraying the expence accrued in building a house of worship in the town of Emmitsburgh, in Frederick county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The further supplement to the act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to authorise the licensing of lotteries. ORDERED, That Mr. Van-Horn, Mr. Ridgely, Mr. Lowrey, Mr. Carroll and Mr. Shaaff, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

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

S A T U R D A Y, November 19, 1803.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Dugan, Mr. Forwood and Mr. Dorsey. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Barber has leave of absence for a few days.

Petitions from James Dunning, George Nace, James Hooker, Nicholas Reynolds and John Walter, of Baltimore county, Andrew Hall and Jeremiah D. Nicols, of Caroline county, praying acts of insolvency, were preferred, read and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, praying an act may pass making null and void a survey heretofore made by certain commissioners appointed under an act of assembly, passed in the year 1801, for laying out a public road from Gravelly hill, near the city of Baltimore, to Randail's-town, Allen's mill, and the Frederick county line, and that new commissioners may be appointed for the purpose aforesaid, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Ridgely, Mr. Lemmon, Mr. Brown, Mr. Gantt and Mr. Van-Horn, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, praying an act may pass authorising them to raise by lottery a sum of money for finishing a house of worship near Reister's-town, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Ridgely, Mr. Brown and Mr. Lemmon, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, praying an act may pass appointing commissioners to lay out a public road from the Reister's-town turnpike road to a road commonly called the Soldier's Delight Road, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Ridgely, Mr. Lemmon and Mr. Brown, to consider and report thereon.

The bill to authorise a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of finishing the Roman catholic church in Frederick-town, in Frederick county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Cæcil county, counter to the petition of sundry inhabitants of East Nottingham, in the county aforesaid, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which it is counter.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of the city of Baltimore, counter to the petition of sundry inhabitants of the city aforesaid respecting a market-house, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which it is counter.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from James Ash, of the city of Baltimore, which was read and referred to the committee of grievances and courts of justice to consider and report thereon.