

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1803. 25

N E G A T I V E

Angier, Hatcheson, Thomas,	Lemmon, Brown, Rose,	Miller, Sheredine, Alexander,	Wood, Van-Horn, Lowrey,	Williams, Hawkins, Shriver,	Clarke, Montgomery, E. Davis,	Lytle, Dickson, Dugan,	Kershner, Yates.	23.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative

Sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill relative to costs. ORDERED, That Mr. Dashiell, Mr. Shaaff and Mr. Bayly, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for the support of Anne Mills, of Montgomery county, endorsed ;
"By the senate, November 22, 1803: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, November 25, 1803: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

And the supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of the poor of Saint-Mary's county, endorsed ;
"By the senate, November 21, 1803: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, November 25, 1803: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

The house proceeded to ballot for a register of wills for Dorchester county, and the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentlemen named to strike retired, and after sometime returned and reported, that John Crapper had a majority of votes.

Whereupon RESOLVED, That John Crapper be, and he is hereby declared to be, register of wills for Dorchester county.

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

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

S A T U R D A Y, November 26, 1803.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Barber appeared in the house. Mr. Ridgely, Mr. Rose, Mr. Swearingen and Mr. Van-Horn, have leave of absence for a few days.

A petition from Caleb Summers, of Montgomery county, praying an act of insolvency, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Swearingen, Mr. T. Davis and Mr. Shaaff, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from Nicholas Smith, of Montgomery county, praying an act may pass for levying a sum of money on the assessable property of said county for his support out of the poor's house, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Swearingen, Mr. T. Davis and Mr. Linthicum, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Shrewsbury parish, in Kent county, praying an act may pass authorising them to raise by lottery a sum of money for the purpose of discharging a debt due from the church in the parish aforesaid, and also to repair the said church, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Angier, Mr. Thomas and Mr. Hatcheson, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from the officers of the militia of Washington county, praying an amendment to the militia law, was preferred and read.

Petitions from Robert H. Ward and Philip Bier, of Frederick county, James Williamson, John Robinson, Isaac Mordecai and Mordecai M. Mordecai, of the city of Baltimore, praying acts of insolvency, were preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

A petition from David Parlett, of Baltimore county, praying an act may pass authorising the levy court of said county to levy on the assessable property thereof a sum of money for damages which he has sustained by reason of a public road running through his land, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Lemmon, Mr. Clarke and Mr. Brown, to consider and report thereon.

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of Hugh Ferguson, of Kent county, was read the second time and passed.

A petition from the pilots of the city of Baltimore, praying an act may pass authorising them to demand and receive certain fees for their services, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Dickson, Mr. Dugan and Mr. Hopewell, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry merchants and owners of ships in the city of Baltimore, stating that the law for regulating pilots and establishing a board of examiners is defective, and praying an amendment thereto, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition of pilots from the city of Baltimore.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore, Anne-Arundel, Montgomery and Frederick counties, praying an act may pass for laying out a public road from Westminster, in Frederick county, to the city of Washington, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Mercer, Mr. T. Davis, Mr. Van-Horn, Mr. Harwood, Mr. Lemmon, Mr. Clarke and Mr. Brown, to consider and report thereon.