

The following resolution being propounded to the house, was read the first and second time, assented to, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

RESOLVED, That all further proceedings against James B. Sullivane, and his securities, on their bonds passed to the state for the purchase money of lots No. 14 and 15 of the Choctank Indian lands, be suspended until the first day of March, eighteen hundred and five.

The resolutions in favour of John B. Beall, of Allegany county, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

The supplement to the act, entitled, An act relating to negroes, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, was read the second time; and, on motion, the question was put, That the further consideration thereof be postponed till the next session of assembly? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the said bill be recommitted for amendment? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the said bill be withdrawn from the hands of the speaker? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the said bill do pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The resolutions respecting the government-house were read the second time and assented to.

The following message being prepared, was read and agreed to.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 30, 1803.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE,

WE have assented to your resolutions of the 26th instant, and have appointed Mr. Dashiell, Mr. Lowrey and Mr. Sheredine, on the part of this house, to join the gentlemen named by you, to inquire into the appropriation of the money therein mentioned, and to inquire whether any, and if any, what repairs and furniture are necessary for the preservation of the government-house, and the accommodation of the governor.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

A memorial from the proprietors of the Susquehanna canal, counter to the petition of Hugh M'Cay, Samuel Patterson Wallace and George Lashley, respecting the Susquehanna canal, was preferred and read.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the bill for the relief of Hugh M'Cay, Samuel Patterson Wallace and George Lashley, of Cæcil county, was read the second time, 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.

Messrs	Angier, Hatcheson, Thomas, Dorsey,	Lemmon, Brown, Veazey, Miller,	Sheredine, Alexander, Van-Horn,	Lyles, Roberts, Lowrey,	Hawkins, Shriver, Montgomery,	Forwood, E. Davis, Lytle,	Rich, Dickson, Dugan,	Zeller, Smith, Yates.	26.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	R. Neale, W. Neale, Hopewell, Harwood, Hall,	Grahame, Gantt, Carcaud, Stuart, Jones,	Chapman, M'Pherson, Ridgely, Lloyd, Meluy,	Rose, Dashiell, Carroll, Cottman, Hyland,	Goldsborough, Frazier, Bayly, Calvert, Shaaff,	Muir, Thompson, Sudler, Sturgis, Wilson,	Purnell, Young, T. Davis, Veatch, Linthicum,	Bayard, Tomlinson, Cresap, Simkins.	39.
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So it was determined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill relating to the records in the office of the register of wills in Harford county, and the bill authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for the improvement of the streets of the city of Annapolis, and for other purposes, severally endorsed; "By the senate, December 26, 1803: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 29, 1803: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

The bill to alter and change the names of James Clerk, and Margaret Russell, his wife, of Prince-George's county, and of their children, and the bill authorising the city commissioners to open and extend Water-street in the city of Baltimore, severally endorsed; "By the senate, December 23, 1803: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 29, 1803: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

The bill to streighten and amend part of the road in Harford county which leads from Underhill's mill to the city of Baltimore, endorsed; "By the senate, December 27, 1803: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

"By the senate, December 29, 1803: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

The additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to appoint commissioners to examine, survey and lay out, the road therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, December 22, 1803: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.