

The second part of said report, which relates to the election held for Charles county, having been read, the question was put on the following resolution, to wit: **RESOLVED**, That George D. Parnham, Philip Stuart, Henry H. Chapman and William H. McPherson, are duly elected, declared and returned, delegates for Charles county. The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.									
Messrs	R. Neale, W. Neale, Hebb, Scott,	Mercer, Hall, Harwood, Meloy,	Goldsborough, Jackson, Hiland, E-mails,	S. Frazier, Eccleston, Contee, Murr,	Shaaff, Sturgis, Prideaux, Williams,	Handy, Hawkins, Bond,	Stephen, Ellicott, Linthicum,	Selby, Darne, Bayard.	20.
N E G A T I V E.									
Messrs	Thomas, Moore, Hatcheson,	Somervell, Ireland, B Mackall,	Stansbury, Lemmon, Brown,	Harry man, Alexander, Veazey,	Miller, Berry, Covington,	Lowrey, Clarke, Waters,	Cockey, Ayres, Montgomery,	Bowles, Yates.	23.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On progression in reading said report, the question was put, That the house concur with the following part of said report, to wit: The committee further report, that by the return of the election for Allegany county, it appears that Upton Bruce, Benjamin Tomlinson and John H. Bayard, are duly elected delegates for the said county. Resolved in the affirmative.

The report being read throughout, the question was put on the following resolution, to wit: Resolved, That Jesse Tomlinson is duly elected, returned and declared, a delegate from Allegany county. Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. John Tillotson, a delegate returned for Caroline county, appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government, and taking an oath to support the constitution of the United States, took his seat in the house.

On motion, Leave given to bring in an additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act to regulate elections. **ORDERED**, That Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Shaaff, Mr. Stansbury and Mr. Stephen, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

A petition from Thomas Hawkins, of Frederick county, praying that an act may pass to complete his title to lots No. 8 and 9 of a tract of land called Maryland, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Shaaff, Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Clarke, to consider and report thereon.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the resolution to inquire whether any and what measures have been taken to carry into effect the resolution of the last session of the legislature, directing the investment of the instalment of forty thousand dollars, due from the United States, in reserved shares of the bank of Baltimore, report, that by a certificate from Benjamin Harwood, treasurer, it appears, that the interest on the loan of two hundred thousand dollars to the United States, in virtue of the act of congress passed on the sixth day of May, seventeen hundred and ninety-six, and of the resolutions of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at November session, seventeen hundred and ninety-six and seventeen hundred and ninety-seven, have been paid into the treasury of the state of Maryland up to the first day of October, eighteen hundred and four, it being the interest due to the said state upon said loan up to that time. It further appears to your committee, that no instalment of the principal of said loan has yet been received into the treasury of the state of Maryland in this present year, it being directed by the said act of congress, that the said loan "shall be reimbursable at any time after the year one thousand eight hundred and three, by instalments, not exceeding one fifth of the whole sum borrowed in any one year; it further appears to your committee, that in pursuance of the said resolutions of seventeen hundred and ninety-six and seventeen hundred and ninety-seven, bonds have been passed by Gustavus Scott, William Thornton and Alexander White, as well in their official capacities as commissioners of the city of Washington, as also in their private capacities, conditioned for the reimbursement of the said loan pursuant to the provisions of the said act of congress and the aforesaid resolutions.

It further appears to your committee, that by the act of congress abolishing the office of commissioners of the city of Washington, and for the appointment of a superintendent, passed on the first day of May, eighteen hundred and two, so many of the lots pledged for the payment of the loan of two hundred thousand dollars are directed to be sold by the superintendent, under the direction of the president, as may be sufficient to pay the interest already incurred on said loan, and the interest and instalments thereof as they may become due, with a proviso, that if, in the opinion of the president, a sufficient number of said lots cannot be sold to meet the object without an unwarrantable sacrifice, so much money as shall be necessary to make up the deficiency shall be appropriated and paid out of the treasury. It further appears to your committee, that at November session, eighteen hundred and three, a resolution passed the legislature on the seventh of January, eighteen hundred and four, making provision for the investment of the first instalment of the said loan of two hundred thousand dollars, which was stated by the said resolution to become due during the then current year, in reserved shares in the bank of Baltimore; it further appears to your committee, that no demand of the first instalment of the said loan has been made by the executive, because, by the provisions of the act of congress of seventeen hundred and ninety-six, it is not yet demandable, and will not become due until the close of the current year, and