

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1804.

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On motion, ORDERED, That the printer to the state strike one hundred copies of the documents relative to the bank stock for the use of the general assembly.

Mr. Montgomery, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to continue an act, entitled, An act relative to the administration of justice in this state, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill to establish a bank, and incorporate a company under the name of The Farmers Bank of Maryland, and for other purposes, have a second reading on Friday next.

Mr. Clarke, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to prevent the running at large of swine in the town of New-Windsor, in Frederick county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The speaker laid before the house a report from the trustees of the academy at Easton, in Talbot county, giving an account of the present state of said seminary, and praying that the treasurer may be directed to advance to the trustees the sum of nine hundred pounds for the purpose of building an academy at Easton, in Talbot county, and that the payment of the annual donation of eight hundred dollars be suspended for the term of three years from and after the first day of June next; which was read and referred to Mr. Goldsborough, Mr. Lloyd, Mr. Spencer, Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Mercer, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Lloyd Dorsey, a delegate returned for Anne-Arundel 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.

A petition from William M. Mahan and George Thistle, of Allegany county, in behalf of themselves and the other securities of Robert Sinclair, late sheriff of said county, praying that they may be released from the payment of nine per cent. interest on judgments obtained against them, although they have failed to comply with the resolution passed at the last session in their favour, and also praying that the other securities may be released from the payment of nine per cent. on the said judgments, provided they shall, on or before the first day of January next, pay up their proportions of the principal and six per cent. interest on the said judgments, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Bayard, Mr. Montgomery and Mr. B. Tomlinson, to consider and report thereon.

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

T U E S D A Y, November 27, 1804.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Chapman and Mr. Darne. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Joseph Thompson, a delegate returned for Queen-Anne's 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.

Mr. Swearingen, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to enable the levy court of Montgomery county to alter and change the direction of a road therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from James Mosher, of the city of Baltimore, praying that his title to a certain lot in the said city may be confirmed, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Stephen, Mr. Stansbury and Mr. Harryman, to consider and report thereon.

Petitions from Robert Miller, of the city of Baltimore, Richard White, of the city of Annapolis, and William Kerney and William Pitt Ridgways, of Queen-Anne's county, praying acts of insolvency, were preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following message:

BY THE SENATE, NOVEMBER 27, 1804.

GENTLEMEN OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

THE senate, with the concurrence of your house, propose immediately to proceed to the election of a person to be recommended as register of wills for Prince-George's county. The person to be recommended to have a majority of the ballots of the attending members of both houses, agreeably to the resolve passed this house and transmitted for your consideration with our message of the 23d instant. Mr. Johnson and Mr. Hayward will join the gentlemen named by you to count the ballots. No person is nominated by the senate in addition to the one mentioned in your message of the 23d instant.

By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

Which was read.

The bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to public roads in this state, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, was read the second time and passed.

The bill, entitled, An act authorising Thomas Burk, of Frederick county, to dispose of a house and lot in said county, the bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to public roads in this state, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, the bill, entitled, An act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for improving the navigation of Corsica creek, in Queen-Anne's county, the bill, entitled,