

68 VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1804.

On motion, the question was put, Shall leave be given to bring in a bill to provide for the election of the justices of the levy courts by the people of the several counties of this state? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.							
Messrs. R. Neale,	Hall,	M'Pherson,	Cottman,	Muir,	Bond,	Potter,	Darne,
W. Neale,	Harwood,	Goldsborough,	Ennalls,	Shaaff,	Ayres,	Ellicott,	Bayard,
Hebb,	Parnham,	T. Bayly,	S. Frazier,	Sturgis,	Montgomery,	Linthicum,	J. Tomlinson.
Mercer,	Stuart,	Jackson,	Contee,	Handy,	Forwood,	Selby,	
N E G A T I V E.							
Messrs. Scott,	Dorsey,	Brown,	Alexander,	Lowrey,	Waters,	Stephen,	Clagett,
Thomas,	Chapman,	Harryman,	Veazey,	Prideaux,	Cockey,	Bowles,	Bruce,
Moore,	Stansbury,	Lloyd,	Miller,	Williams,	Hawkins,	Yates,	B. Tomlinson.
Hatcheson,	Lemmon,	Hyland,	Blake,	Clarke,	Holbrook,		

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

ORDERED, That a committee, to consist of five members, be appointed by ballot to prepare and bring in said bill.

On motion, the question was put, Will the house adjourn until Wednesday morning 9 o'clock? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.							
Messrs. R. Neale,	Hall,	Stuart,	Harryman,	Veazey,	Handy,	Ayres,	Bruce,
Hebb,	Dorsey,	Chapman,	Goldsborough,	Contee,	Clarke,	Montgomery,	Bayard,
Scott,	Harwood,	M'Pherson,	Jackson,	Muir,	Waters,	Stephen,	J. Tomlinson.
Mercer,	Parnham,	Stansbury,	Cottman,	Shaaff,	Hawkins,	Selby,	
N E G A T I V E.							
Messrs. Thomas,	Brown,	Alexander,	Prideaux,	Bond,	Holbrook,	Bowles,	Clagett,
Moore,	T. Bayly,	Lowrey,	Williams,	Forwood,	Ellicott,	Yates,	Linthicum.
Hatcheson,	J. Bayly,	Sturgis,	Cockey,				

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The house adjourns till Wednesday morning 9 o'clock.

W E D N E S D A Y, December 26, 1804.

THE house met. Present the same members as on Monday, except Mr. Covington and Mr. Swearingen. The proceedings of Monday were read.

Petitions from Alexander Coulter, Jacob Milleron and John Gill, of the city of Baltimore, Isaac Holstone, of Worcester county, and John F. Beall, of Charles county, praying acts of insolvency, were preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

A petition from Simon Wilmer, of the city of Baltimore, praying an act of insolvency, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Goldsborough, Mr. Stephen and Mr. Stansbury, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Worcester county, creditors of Isaac Houston, praying that an act of insolvency may not be passed in favour of the said Isaac Houston, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which it is counter.

A petition from Hugh Sherwood, of Huntington, late sheriff of Talbot county, praying that he may be allowed further time to complete his collections for the year eighteen hundred and three, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Goldsborough, Mr. Meluy and Mr. Lloyd, to consider and report thereon.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill, entitled, An act to authorise a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of erecting a market-house in the town of William's Port, in Washington county, endorsed; "By the senate, December 20, 1804: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, December 24, 1804: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order, T. W. HALL, clk."

Also the bill, entitled, An act to continue an act, entitled, An act to incorporate an insurance company in Baltimore-town, and another act, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to incorporate an insurance company in Baltimore-town, and for other purposes, endorsed; "By the senate, December 21, 1804: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, December 24, 1804: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order, T. W. HALL, clk."

Also the bill, entitled, An act to compel the registers of wills in the several counties therein mentioned to keep each his office at the seat of justice in the county for which he shall be register, endorsed; "By the senate, December 22, 1804: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, December 24, 1804: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order, T. W. HALL, clk."