

A petition from John C. Bond, late sheriff of Harford county, stating, that he is indebted to the state in the sum of two hundred and eight pounds, that he is liable to pay fifteen per cent. thereon, and praying to be released from nine per cent. thereon, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Stansbury, Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Forwood, to consider and report thereon.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petitions of sundry inhabitants of the city and county of Baltimore, praying to have a new court-house erected in said county, report, that they have had the same under their consideration, and are of opinion that it is inexpedient, at the present session of assembly, to grant the prayer of said petitioners.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Darne, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the representatives of Jeremiah Crabb, late of Montgomery county, deceased; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill, entitled, An act to empower the levy court of Dorchester county to appoint a constable for the village of New-Market in the said county, endorsed; "By the senate, January 8, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, January 10, 1805: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."

Also the bill, entitled, An act to authorise William Du Bourg, and others, associated professors of a seminary of learning in the vicinity of the city of Baltimore, to admit students to degrees, and to grant diplomas, endorsed; "By the senate, January 3, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, January 10, 1805: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."

Also the bill, entitled, An additional supplement to an act to streighten and amend the public roads in Harford county, and to repeal the third section of the act of assembly therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, January 8, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, January 10, 1805: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."

Also the bill, entitled, An act incorporating the justices of the levy court in the respective counties in this state for the purposes therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, January 8, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, January 11, 1805: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."

Also the bill, entitled, An act to lay out, open and change, a road leading from Owing's and Paul's mill to Edge Ridge Landing, endorsed; "By the senate, January 9, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, January 11, 1805: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."

Ordered that the said bills be engrossed.

Also a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act in favour of the president and directors of the Patowmack company and the commissioners of the Federal buildings, and a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act relating to negroes, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, severally endorsed; "By the senate, January 8, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, January 10, 1805: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Also a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of the high court of chancery, endorsed; "By the senate, January 7, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

"By the senate, January 11, 1805: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Also the bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the Chesapeake insurance company, endorsed; "By the senate, January 7, 1805: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

T. W. HALL, clk."