

Mr. Bland delivers a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of Thomas Warner and Ruth Warner, of the city of Baltimore; Mr. Herbert delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Oliver Burch Suit, of Prince-George's county, an insolvent debtor; Mr. Kerr delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of doctor Robert Moore, of Talbot county; Mr. Bland delivers a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of Josephine Cham-geur, of the city of Baltimore; and Mr. Baer delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Thomas I. Hammond, an insolvent debtor; which were read.

Mr. Calvert delivers the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Rinaldo Johnson, on behalf of the securities of Thomas Williams, late collector of taxes in Prince-George's county, beg leave to report, that they find the facts stated in said petition to be true, and that a resolution did pass at November session, eighteen hundred and seven, authorising the treasurer to repay to the said securities the said sum of £. 140 14 7, with interest thereon from the 11th day of June, 1802, as stated in said petition, instead of paying interest on the said sum of £. 140 14 7, from the 11th day of June, 1792, when, it appears to your committee, the said poundage fees were paid to the sheriff of Prince-George's county, from which time your committee are of opinion the interest ought to have been paid, and therefore submit the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to Rinaldo Johnson, for the securities of Thomas Williams, the sum of £. 84 8 9, being the amount of interest due on £. 140 14 7 poundage fees, paid by the securities to the sheriff of Prince-George's county, on the 11th day of June, 1792, under a fieri facias issued by the state for a larger sum than was due from the said securities, the principal sum of £. 140 14 7, with interest from the 11th June, 1802, having been heretofore paid under a resolution of November session, eighteen hundred and seven.

By order,

L. C. GASSAWAY, clk.

Which was read.

Mr. A. Dorsey delivers a petition from John Spurrier, of Anne Arundel county, counter to the petition for a road from Baltimore to the district of Columbia; which was read and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which it is counter.

Mr. Herbert delivers a petition from Charles Duvall, and others, of Prince-George's county, praying that a road through John Boyd's land may be made a public road; which was read and referred to Mr. Herbert, Mr. Magruder and Mr. Reid, to consider and report thereon.

On motion by Mr. J. E. Spencer, Leave given to bring in a bill to authorise a lottery for raising a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned. ORDERED, That Mr. J. E. Spencer, Mr. J. Brown and Mr. Palmer; be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Plater delivers a bill, entitled, An act respecting the land records of Saint-Mary's county; Mr. Randall delivers a bill, entitled, An act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money to purchase a fire engine, and to erect a house with an alarm bell thereon, in the western precincts of Baltimore; Mr. Plater delivers a bill, entitled, An act authorising John M. Williams, late sheriff and collector of Saint-Mary's county, to complete his collection; Mr. Schley delivers a bill, entitled, An act to authorise a lottery or lotteries in Frederick county; which were read the first and second time by especial order and passed.

On motion by Mr. A. Dorsey, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to ascertain the allowance of members of the general assembly, and for other purposes. ORDERED, That Mr. A. Dorsey, Mr. J. E. Spencer and Mr. Chapman, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

On motion by Mr. C. Dorsey, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act respecting constables bonds. ORDERED, That Mr. C. Dorsey, Mr. J. E. Spencer and Mr. Chapman, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

On motion by Mr. C. Dorsey, ORDERED, That the clerk of this house forward a copy of the order adopted this day to the different officers mentioned therein.

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

F R I D A Y, December 15, 1809.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill to authorise and empower the court of appeals for the western shore to hear and determine the matter of the decree of the late court of appeals of June term, eighteen hundred, between Benedict Edward Hall, executor of Amos Garratt, deceased, administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Peter Dicks, deceased, and the representatives of Jacob Giles, deceased, the bill to authorise a lottery or lotteries in Frederick county, the bill to authorise John M. Williams, late sheriff and collector of Saint-Mary's county, to complete his collection, the bill respecting the land records of Saint-Mary's county, the bill authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money to purchase a fire engine, and to erect a house with an alarm bell thereon, in the western precincts of Baltimore, and the bill concerning waste, were sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. J. Brown, the question was put, That the order of yesterday, relative to officers fees, be rescinded? Determined in the negative.