

Mr. Kell from the committee delivers the following report:

The committee to whom the memorial of Samuel I. Donaldson was referred, beg leave to report, that being informed that the executive council have decided that William Stewart of Baltimore was the first applicant under the confiscation laws for the purchase of the lots in the memorial mentioned, and have ordered the same to be surveyed and valued under his application, it would in the opinion of the committee be improper to interfere as requested by the prayer of the memorialist.

By order,

M. LATIMER, Clk.

Which was read the first and second time by special order and concurred in.

On motion by Mr. Thomas, the following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate, together with the bill therein referred to.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, February 1, 1817.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We return herewith to your honourable body the bill, entitled, An act to lay out and make public the roads therein mentioned in Harford county, and for other purposes, and hope that upon further consideration you will assent to the same.

By order,

L. GASSAWAY, Clk.

The bill to authorise and confirm the sale of certain real estate of James Calver, late of Baltimore county, deceased; the bill for the benefit of Michael Lovejoy of Prince-George's county; the bill to incorporate the Warren Manufacturing Company; the bill for the relief of Martha Graham of Frederick county; were severally read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The report on the petition of the heirs of John Hoskins Stone, deceased, was read the second time, and the question put, That the house concur with the report and assent to the resolution therein contained? Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill to incorporate the Baltimore Improving Company; was read the second time and passed.

On motion by Mr. Blakistone, the following preamble and resolution was read and ordered to lie on the table:

Whereas from the severe frost and inclemency of the weather, the members from the eastern shore, and some of the officers of both houses, will be compelled to go around the head of the bay, Resolved, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to each member of the legislature from the eastern shore, attending in discharge of his legislative duties, the following itinerant charges, in addition to those allowed on the journal of accounts, to wit: to the members from Cecil now attending, three days itinerant charges; to the members from Kent six days itinerant charges; to the members from Queen-Anne's seven days itinerant charges; to the members from Caroline eight days itinerant charges; to the members from Talbot eight days itinerant charges; to the members from Dorchester nine days itinerant charges; to the members from Somerset eleven days itinerant charges; to the members from Worcester eleven days itinerant charges; and to each officer of both houses from the eastern shore, the same number of days itinerant charges that are allowed to the members of the county in which they respectively reside.

The house adjourns until Monday morning 9 o'clock.

MONDAY, February 3, 1817.

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

The bill to incorporate the Baltimore Improving Company; the bill to pay the civil list and other expenses of civil government; and the resolution in favour of the heirs of General John H. Stone, were sent to the senate.

The bill from the senate, entitled, An act to provide for the administration of justice in cases of crimes and misdemeanors in the city and precincts of Baltimore, was returned to the senate.

The bill relating to streets in the city and precincts of Baltimore, was read the second time, amended, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the name of the Farmers Bank of Allegany, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.					
Mr Speaker	Posey	Beard	Quinton	M'Donald	Washington
H Watts	Dennis	Somerville	Handy	Kell	Cresap
Blakistone	Pitt	Semmes	Howard	Williams	Ridgely
Horrell	Lecompte	Meconnikin	Sewell	Watkins	Tomlinson
Turner	Griffith	Harrison	Bradford		28
NEGATIVE.					
Boyer	T H Dorsey	Price	Banning	Roberts	Schnebly
Ringgold	C Stewart	Showers	Haynie	Potts	Hager
Sellman	Warner	Hambleton	Duvall	Glenn	Lanham
R Dorsey	Harryman	Hands	Claude	W Stewart	K Watts
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So it was resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the senate.

The bill to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the title of the Bank of Dorchester, was read the second time and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.					
Mr Speaker	Dennis	Beard	Quinton	M'Donald	Lanham
H Watts	Pitt	Semmes	Howard	Kell	Cresap
Blakistone	Lecompte	Meconnikin	Sewell	Williams	Ridgely
Horrell	Hart	Harrison	Bradford	Watkins	Tomlinson
Turner	Griffith				26
NEGATIVE.					
Boyer	C Stewart	Showers	Haynie	Handy	W Stewart
Ringgold	Warner	Hambleton	Duvall	Taney	Schnebly
Sellman	Harryman	Hands	Claude	H Hall	Hager