

On motion, ORDERED, That the counter petitioners to the petition of the mayor and city council of the city of Baltimore, to introduce water into the said city, have leave to be heard by counsel at the bar of this house on Tuesday the 17th instant.

A representation from Frederick Green, printer to the state, stating, that in conformity to a resolution of the general assembly, passed last session, he has commenced the publication of the laws compiled by William Kilty, Esquire, and that he has progressed as far as the end of the year seventeen hundred and eighty-four, which concludes the first volume, a copy of which is laid before the house, was read, and referred to Mr. Digges, Mr. Turner, Mr. Key, Mr. Edmondson and Mr. Carroll, to consider and report thereon.

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill for appointing a wreck-master in Worcester county, have a second reading on Monday next.

On motion, ORDERED, That the adjutant-general of this state lay before this house an account of his proceedings under the act to regulate and discipline the militia of this state, and the supplement thereto, on or before the 17th instant.

Mr. Street, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of fundry inhabitants of Harford county, praying for a road to be opened from Underhill's mill until it intersects a public road leading from John Neale to John Cox's, have taken the same into their consideration, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petitioners ought to be granted.

By order,

J. F. HARRIS, clk.

Which was read.

Petitions from Daniel Cost, of Frederick county, and John W. Wilson, of Harford 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 bill relating to notaries public, endorsed; "By the senate, December 6, 1799: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

A. VAN-HORN, clk.

"By the senate, December 6, 1799: Read the second time by especial order and will not pass.

"By order,

A. VAN-HORN, clk."

The bill for the adjournment of Prince-George's county court, endorsed; "By the senate, December 6, 1799: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

A. VAN-HORN, clk.

"By the senate, December 6, 1799: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

A. VAN-HORN, clk."

And the bill to empower the justices of the levy court of Anne-Arundel county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purpose therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, December 5, 1799: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

A. VAN-HORN, clk.

"By the senate, December 6, 1799: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

A. VAN-HORN, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution in favour of Mary Chandler was read the second time, agreeably to the order of the day, and the question put, That the house assent thereto? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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Mr. Buchanan.

N E G A T I V E.

Barber,	Taney,	Denny,	Haynes,	Wright,	Sappington,	Orrell,
Neale,	Brome,	Cottman,	Wallace,	C. Frazier,	Shriver,	Boon,
Wroth,	Parnham,	Hyland,	Rumsey,	Thompson,	Street,	M'Clain,
Dunn,	M'Pherson,	Stewart,	Addison,	Lowrey,	M'Comas,	Cellar,
Tilghman,	Digges,	Wilkins,	Duckett,	Gunby,	Ayres,	Magruder,
Harwood,	Carroll,	S. Frazier,	Marbury,	Corbin,	Bond,	Riley,
Hall,	Edmondson,	Goldborough,	Quynn,	Franklin,	Mason,	Turner,
Brogden,	Rife,	P. Thomas,	Key,	J. Thomas,	Potter,	Rice.
Worthington,						

So it was determined in the negative.

A petition from Edward Norwood, of Baltimore county, praying to be allowed for deficiency of land purchased of the intendant of the revenue, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Duckett, Mr. Key and Mr. Buchanan, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from Frederick Koonen, of Prince-George's county, praying an act of insolvency, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition of William Thompson.

Mr. Brogden, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Andrew Criswell, of Anne-Arundel county, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and finding the facts therein stated to be true, are of opinion the prayer of the petitioner appearing reasonable ought to be granted.

By order,

R. K. WATTS, clk.

Which was read.

The bill to compel the attendance of the members of the general assembly, was read the second time, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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