

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1801. 27

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to alter the times of the session of Baltimore county court, of the court of oyer and terminer and gaol delivery for Baltimore county, and of the court of appeals. ORDERED, That Mr. Scott, Mr. Dickson, Mr. Moore, Mr. Stansbury and Mr. Mackall, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Montgomery county, praying an act may pass for opening a road from John Orme's plantation to Montgomery court-house, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Magruder, Mr. T. Davis and Mr. Swearingen, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Washington county, praying an act may pass for laying off and opening a road on the nearest and best ground from Elizabeth-town, by Barnett's fording, on Conococheague, to the state line, so as to meet the road already laid out from Mercersburgh to the state line in Pennsylvania, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Ott, Mr. Tilghman, Mr. Cresap, Mr. Shriver and Mr. Kemp, to consider and report thereon.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for the benefit of Benjamin Ward, of Prince-George's county, endorsed; "By the senate, November 11, 1801: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

" By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

" By the senate, November 14, 1801: Read the second time and will pass.

" By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

And the further additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to strengthen and amend the several public roads in several counties, and for other purposes therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, November 13, 1801: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

" By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

" By the senate, November 14, 1801: Read the second time by a special order and will pass with the proposed amendment.

" By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk."

Which amendment was read.

The house adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

## M O N D A Y, November 16, 1801.

THE house met. Present the same members as on Saturday, except Mr. Carr. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from Davidson David, Esquire, notifying his acceptance of his appointment as member of the council; which was read.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Washington county, counter to the petition of sundry inhabitants of said county respecting a road from Elizabeth-town to Mercersburgh, in Pennsylvania, was preferred, read, and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which it is counter.

A petition from sundry inhabitants of Washington county, praying commissioners may be appointed to lay out a road to intersect the road leading from Elizabeth-town to the Island Ford, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Cresap, Mr. Tilghman, Mr. T. Davis, Mr. Cellar and Mr. Smith, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from Nathan Robinet and Moles Robinet, of Allegany county, praying an act may pass authorising the several clerks to correct an error in a deed made between the petitioners, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. B. Tomlinson, Mr. Van-Horn and Mr. Simkins, to consider and report thereon.

The following message being prepared, was sent to the senate by the clerk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 16, 1801.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE,

THE office of register of wills in Somerset county being vacant, we propose, with the concurrence of your house, to go into an election to-morrow at 12 o'clock. Mr. George Handy, William Winder, John Anderson and Robert Lemmon, are nominated by this house to fill this office, and we have appointed Mr. Lowes and Mr. A. Stuart, in conjunction with any members of your house, to examine the ballots.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Mr. Dickson, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act for incorporating the methodist episcopal churches, known by the name of The Light-street and Old-town Methodist Churches in the City of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Stansbury has leave of absence.

Mr. Scott, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the German Lutheran society of the city of Baltimore; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Patrick Murdock, of Allegany county, report, that they find from the certificate of the register of the land-office, that the petitioner, by assignment, is entitled to the following lots lying westward of Fort Cumberland, to wit: Number three thousand nine hundred and eighty-two,