

to make a turnpike road from the square of the town of Boonsborough, in Washington county, to Swearingen's ferry on Potomac river; which was read

Mr Cockey presents a petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick county, praying for an arbitration system; which was read and referred to Messrs. Cockey, T. W. Hall, Bowles, Orrick and Hayward.

Also a petition from John Stembel, of Frederick county, praying a special act of insolvency; which was read and referred to Messrs. Cockey, M. Pherson and Davis

On motion by Mr. Polk, Ordered, That Messrs Boyle, J. Forrest, B. Forrest and Maulsby, be added to the committee appointed to bring in a bill to change the time of the meeting of the courts of appeals.

The bill for the relief of Thomas Harris, of Frederick county, the bill to encourage the destruction of mounds in Kent county, and the bill to build a bridge over Allens Fresh Run, were severally read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the Conococheague Bank. Ordered, That Messrs Bowles, T. Kennedy, and Gabby, report the same

Mr J. P. Kennedy presents a petition from James M. Cann of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency; which was read and referred to Messrs J. P. Kennedy, Barney and Boyle.

The bill to repeal the act therein mentioned; the bill to authorise William Stevens, late collector of Caroline county, to complete his collections; the bill to authorise William Ferguson, late collector of Talbot county, to complete his collection; and the bill to authorise Thomas A. Davis to complete his collection, were severally read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr Orrick presents a petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore and Anne Arundel counties, praying for an alteration in the road to Sweetser's Ferry; which was read and referred to Messrs. Orrick, Marriot, Snowden, Showers and Steward.

Mr Nicholson presents a petition from William Jacobs, of Queen-Anne's county, praying for a compensation for the use of his granary as a place of deposit for military stores during the late war; which was read and referred to Messrs. Nicholson, R. Moffitt and S. Stevens.

Mr J. P. Kennedy presents a petition from Christopher Hughes of the city of Baltimore, praying for law to compel the city council of Baltimore to make him compensation for filling up part of Quay-street and Forrest-street; which was read and referred to Messrs. J. P. Kennedy, Barney and Duvall.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to authorise William M. Bond to complete his collection; the bill to enable Henry Macatee, administrator of Leonard Macatee, to complete the collection of the said Leonard Macatee; the bill to authorise Benjamin Richardson to complete his collection; the supplement to the act authorising John Stevens the elder, and Nicholas Martin, administrators of James Clayland, late sheriff of Talbot county, to complete the collections of the said Clayland; the bill authorising Robert Lambden, of William, late collector of Talbot county, to complete his collection; the bill to authorise Elizabeth M. Spalding, widow and administratrix of George H. Spalding, late sheriff and collector of Charles county, to complete his collections; and the bill to incorporate a Lutheran Church in Keiser's town, Baltimore county, severally endorsed "will not pass." And the additional supplement to an act passed at December session on the 27th day of December in the year of our Lord 1811, entitled,

An act to authorise a lottery or lotteries in the city of Baltimore, endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

On motion by Mr S. Stevens, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to authorise Robert Morris to remove negro Lucy from the state of Delaware. Ordered, That messrs. S. Stevens, N. Marriot and D. Marriot, report the same

Mr. Maulsby presents a petition from the commissioners of the tax of Harford county, praying for a new assessment law; which was read and referred to messrs. Maulsby, Alderson, and Norris.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for the benefit of Samuel Castle of Washington county, and the bill for the relief of Elizabeth Everett of Baltimore county, endorsed "will not pass." The bill for the benefit of Philo D. Forrest, of the city of Baltimore, endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendments" Which amendment was read, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed. The further supplement to the act for the opening and extending North street in the city of Baltimore; the bill for the relief of the persons therein mentioned; and the bill to alter and change the time of holding the levy court of Anne Arundel county, severally endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. And a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the Baltimore Exchange Company, endorsed "will pass;" which was read

Mr Harding presents a petition from Eleanor Wheeler of Montgomery county; which was read and referred to the committee on out pensions.

The house resumed the consideration of the bill relative to sales by auction, and after some time being spent in deliberating the same,

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

WEDNESDAY, January 17, 1821.

The house met Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. King delivers the report of the commissioners of the school fund for Somerset county; which was read.

Mr. Dennis presents a petition from Elizabeth Handy, widow of George Handy, late register of wills of Somerset county, praying she may not be at the expense of making up the records of said office, which was read and referred to Messrs. Dennis, Dashiell and King.

Mr. Davis reports a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Ely Dorsey, of Ely, of Frederick county; which was read.

On motion by Mr. Hayward, the question was put, That the word "uncovered" be stricken out of the second rule of the house? Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Marriot delivers the following report: The committee to whom was referred the memorial of Thomas Karney, auditor of the state, report that they have had the same under their consideration, and recommend the adoption of the following resolution;