

1831, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation of certain jurors of the counties of Perquimans, Pasquotank and Gates
31 Incorporating the Iredell Manufacturing Company
32 Granting to persons therein named certain lands for the use of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Franklin, in Macon county
33 To divorce Mary T. Eppes, from her husband Peter Eppes
34 To alter the name of Martha Ann Williams, and to legitimate her.
35 To alter the names of Moses Holmes, and to legitimate him
36 To prevent obstructing the passage of fish up Hiwassee, Nantalee and Valley rivers, in Macon county
37 Requiring the Register of Guilford county to keep his office at the Court-House in said county
38 For the better administration of justice in the county of Onslow, and for other purposes
39 To give exclusive jurisdiction to the Superior Courts for the counties of Anson and Montgomery, in all cases where the intervention of a jury shall or may be necessary
40 For the better regulation of the militia of Onslow county
41 Concerning the county courts of Haywood county
42 To repeal a part of the third section of an act passed in the year 1831, in addition to an act passed in the year 1830, in relation to the burning of the records of the county of Hatteras
43 To authorize John Sudderth and Patrick Hennessee to erect gates on their own lands across a public road in the county of Burke
44 To incorporate the Northampton Blues
45 To incorporate Washington Academy in the town of Washington, Beaufort county, and appoint trustees thereof
46 For the better government of the town of Lawrenceville, in Montgomery county
47 To alter the name of Isaac Blanchard, of the county of Gates, and to legitimate him
48 To alter the name of and legitimate Zuleck Best, of Currituck county
49 To restore to credit William Brown, of the county of Beaufort.
50 To repeal part of an act passed at the last session, entitled an act better to promote the administration of justice in Macon county
51 For the better regulation of the militia of Buncombe county.
52 To incorporate the Fayetteville Mechanic's Benevolent Society
53 To appoint commissioners for the town of Clinton, and for other purposes.
54 To amend an act entitled an act to incorporate a Company in the county of Mecklenburg, under the name of the Franklin Gold Mining Company.
55 To incorporate the Martin County Grays
56 Authorizing the county courts of Burke and Yancey counties, to appoint commissioners for laying off roads, &c.
57 To alter the name of Jacky Ann Morag, and to legitimate her
58 To quiet the titles to certain lands in this state
59 Appointing commissioners to lay off a road from Morganton in Burke county, by Burns and Barnett's Station, to the Tennessee line
60 To prevent the obstruction to the passage of fish up Frying Pan, in Tyrrell county
61 To repeal an act entitled an act respecting the Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions in the county of Tyrrell, passed in the year 1825
62 To amend an act passed in the year 1832, entitled an act for the division of Rowan county, attaching part of Rowan to Davidson, not to take effect till 1836
63 Altering the time of holding the Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of the counties of Buncombe and Yancey, and for other purposes
64 To amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the completion of the Tennessee River Road in the county of Macon, and to incorporate a company for that purpose"
65 To prevent the felling of timber in, or otherwise obstructing the run of Lower Little river in the county of Iredell
66 To incorporate the Gatesville Turnpike Company
67 To incorporate the Lincolnton Light Infantry Company
68 Supplemental to an act passed at the last session, entitled an act to improve the state road from the bank of the Tuckassee river, by the way of Franklin, to the Georgia line
69 Incorporating the North Carolina Gold Mining Company
70 Divorcing Helena M. Cobb
71 Authoring A. R. T. Hunter of Macon county, to erect a bridge across the Hiwassee river near the mouth of Valley river
72 To establish and incorporate a town in Jones county, by the name of Pollockville
73 Amendatory of an act authorizing the citizens of the town of Haywood to appoint commissioners
74 Incorporating Spring Vale Academy in the county of Sampson, and appointing trustees thereof
75 To amend part of the 21 section of an act 1833, to regulate the proceedings in the county courts of Craven

76 Protecting seine places in Roanoke river
77 Incorporating the Tuckassee Turnpike Company
78 Authorizing the commissioners of Kenansville, in Duplin county, to sell part of the town commons
79 Incorporating Mallard Creek Classical School, in Mecklenburg county.
80 To establish the town of Leecheville, in Beaufort county, and to appoint commissioners thereof
81 To regulate the levying and collecting of town taxes in and for the town of Plymouth
82 Securing to Needham Whitfield, of Lenoir county, and those with whom he may associate, the right of navigating the waters of Neuse river from the town of Newbern upwards, so far as they may see proper to go
83 To incorporate the Chatham Guards
84 Concerning the corporation of the town of Washington, in Beaufort county
85 Amendatory of an act authorizing the citizens of the town of Haywood to appoint commissioners
86 To repeal an act passed in 1832, entitled an act appointing lay days on Rock river, joining Anson and Montgomery counties
87 To authorize the completion of Tennessee river road, in the county of Macon, and to incorporate a company for that purpose
88 To authorize the county court of Yancey to lay a tax to encourage the destruction of wolves and panthers in said county
89 To divorce Isabella R. Potter, from her husband Robert Potter
90 To incorporate the Pioneer Mills Gold Mining Company, Cabarrus county
91 For the benefit of Edward Fitzgerald, of Brunswick county
92 To amend part of the first section of an act entitled an act to authorize certain persons therein named to raise by lottery \$6,000 for cutting a canal in Washington county, passed in 1833
93 To authorize the commissioners of the town of Wentworth to perfect titles to lots in said town, and to appoint commissioners for the town of Madison
94 Directing the conveyance of the common adjoining the town of Franklin, Macon county, to the chairman of the county court
95 Regulating the times of holding the Superior Courts of Rutherford, Lincoln and Iredell
96 Authorizing the appointment of two surveyors for each of the counties of Anson, Wilkes and Richmond
97 Concerning a Public Road leading from Columbia in Tyrrell county to Plymouth
98 Concerning Mills erected in the county of New Hanover.
99 To alter the time of holding the courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the county of Beaufort.
100 Authorizing John Treadwell, sr. of Sampson county, to erect a gate at the Bridge across Cohary, on the road leading from Clinton to Elizabeth town in Bladen county, and to receive toll for crossing the same.
101 To repeal an act passed at the last General Assembly, entitled an act to create an additional circuit in the county of York, and for other purposes.
102 To amend an act passed in the year of our Lord 1833, entitled an act concerning market fees in the town of Fayetteville.
103 To amend the several acts now in force incorporating the town of Charlotte, in Mecklenburg county.
104 Appointing commissioners to run and establish the boundary line between the counties of Bladen and Columbus.
105 Authorizing the Northampton Blues to draw on the Adjutant General for a stand of Arms.
106 Supplemental to an act entitled an act to incorporate the Cape Fear, Yadkin and Pedee Rail Road Company
107 To incorporate a company of light artillery in the town of Wilmington.
108 To amend the charter of the Halifax and Weldon Rail Road Company
109 For the better regulation of the militia of the county of Macon
110 To repeal an act passed at the last session, entitled an act for the better administration of justice in Carteret county
111 Incorporating Poplar Grove Academy in Iredell county
112 To amend an act entitled an act to prevent the felling of timber in the run of Hogan's Creek in Caswell county
113 Incorporating the Matamoras Canal and Rosebay Turnpike Company
114 Relative to the lands called to work on the State road leading from the Old Port in Burke county, to Ashville in Buncombe county
115 To establish the Sulphur Spring Academy in the county of Buncombe, and to incorporate the trustees thereof
116 To authorize the Commissioners of Wilmington to assess and cause to be collected a tax on all slaves whose owners reside out of town, but permit the slaves to work in town
117 To alter the name of William Pollard of the county of Martin, and to legitimate him
118 To authorize Thomas J. Pastour of Craven county, to keep a ferry in said county, and for other purposes
119 Regarding the Sheriffs of the county of New Hanover to give bonds

of an increased amount, for the collection of the tax levied for the use of the town of Wilmington, and for other purposes
120 To regulate drill musters in the 88th regiment of N. C. militia, in Davidson county
121 To restore to credit Elbridge Smith, of Wake county
122 Concerning part of Drysborough
123 Giving compensation to Sheriffs and Coroners for executing writs of capias ad satisfaciendum in certain cases
124 To incorporate the Juvenile Library Society of Providence, Mecklenburg county
125 To incorporate the Trustees of the Rock-Island Academy in New Hanover county
126 To repeal an act of the General Assembly passed in 1833, entitled an act concerning the Wilkes county Volunteer Artillery Company
127 To attach the militia of the county of Yancey to the 15th brigade
128 For the preservation of the Public Buildings in Buncombe county, and for the improvement of the town of Ashville
129 To authorize Wiley Roberts to build a bridge across Deep river, Chatham county
130 For the better regulation of the County and Superior Courts of the counties of Rutherford, Buncombe, Haywood and Macon
131 To regulate the public ferry at Edenton
132 To authorize the making of a turnpike road in Haywood county
133 To amend the charter of the Mecklenburg Gold Mining Company
134 For the better regulation of the town of Bath
135 Incorporating the Northampton Manufacturing company
136 Amending the act of last session, entitled an act regulating the times of holding the Superior Courts in the 6th Judicial Circuit
137 Authorizing the County Court of Yancey to alter the dividing line between the two regiments of militia in said county
138 Granting to persons therein named certain lands for a burying ground and place of public worship for all denominations of christians, in Macon county
139 To repair the road from Holeman's ford to the Deep Gap
140 To prohibit hauling seps or dragnets within two miles of certain bars and inlets within this state
141 Concerning the Plymouth Turnpike Company
142 For the better regulation of the county courts of Guilford county
143 To authorize the forming of a Fire Engine Company in the town of Fayetteville
144 Repealing the 2d section of an act of 1832, making additional compensation to the Secretary of State for certain services.

RESOLUTIONS.

1 Resolution for the Committee of Finance
2 In favor of George R. Griffin, administrator of Elisha Brown
3 In favor of Wm. Kinley, of Davidson county
4 Authorizing a grant to issue to William Wilson
5 In favor of Caleb Barco
6 In favor of Joseph Shepherd
7 In favor of Jesse Hurlsey
8 Directing the Adjutant General to collect the public arms
9 In favor of Elizabeth Forbes
10 Relating to a map of the Cherokee lands
11 In favor of James Monk
12 In favor of Mark H. Hill
13 In favor of William S. Mhoon, esq.—allowance for extra service
14 In favor of John Hyde of Haywood county
15 In favor of Lewis Dupre
16 In favor of William Scott
17 Instructing Hon. Willie P. Mangum, one of the Senators in Congress from this state, to vote for expunging a certain resolution from the journals of the United States Senate
18 In favor of the heirs at law of Jeremiah Bullock, deceased
19 In favor of Owen Caroli, of Bladen county
20 Resolutions, with accompanying Report, on the subject of the outrage on American citizens committed at Nassau, New Providence
21 In favor of Archibald S. Brown, late Sheriff of Robeson county
22 In favor of the president and directors of the Leaksville Toll Bridge Company
23 In favor of John Cherry
24 Directing the Public Treasurer to commence suits on bonds for Cherokee lands
25 In favor of Reuben Mastin and wife
26 In favor of Francis H. Reider
27 Directing a new roll of the several Justices of the Peace
28 Authorizing the Public Treasurer to borrow money on behalf of the State, for certain purposes therein mentioned. [Amount not exceeding 40,000 dollars]
29 In favor of E. W. Hancock
30 To print a bill, entitled "A bill to provide a fund for the establishment of Free Schools in the State of North Carolina, and amend the same to the acts of Assembly"
31 In favor of the Door keepers
32 In favor of Hon. James Martin
33 In favor of Mary Sloan

34 In favor of David Royster, of Raleigh
35 In favor of John Williams. [Giving him 457 acres of land, for his revolutionary services]
36 In favor of John Cowper
37 In favor of Wm. Thompson
38 In favor of the heirs of Wm. Gilliam
39 In favor of C. McCleese, agent E. Mann deceased
40 In favor of James Welborn
41 In favor of Richard W. Aston
42 In favor of Micajah Hicks.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

Monday, January 5
Mr. Wyehe, from the select committee to whom was referred so much of the Governor's message as relates to the transmission of certain public documents and the publication of the acts of Assembly, made a report thereon, accompanied by the following resolutions: which were read three times and ordered to be enrolled, except the second, which was stricken out:
Resolved, That the governor be authorized to procure and transmit to each branch of the legislative department of the United States and of the several states in the Union, a copy of the public laws of this state, as published annually by the public printer.
Resolved, That the governor be authorized to appoint annually, a person properly qualified to prepare the order in which the laws shall be published, to revise the proof sheets, to prepare a table of the contents, a general index and marginal notes, who shall receive such compensation as may be deemed adequate to the service, not exceeding one hundred dollars.
Resolved, That the governor be authorized to transmit to the executive of the United States and of the several states, any public documents which may be published by order of the public authorities of the state.
The bill to provide a fund for the establishment of free schools in North Carolina, was rejected on its second reading; upon which, on motion of Mr. Carson, it was resolved that said bill be printed and appended to the laws passed at this session.

Tuesday, January 6

Mr. Hawkins, from the committee on internal improvement, to whom a resolution on the subject had been referred, reported in favor of granting a charter for a rail road from the seaboard, via the seat of government to the Yadkin; but against the same taking two-fifths of the stock. Mr. H. also reported against the expediency of granting an appropriation to cut a canal from Goose creek to Jones' Bay, and recommended the rejection of the bill to amend the road laws. Concurred in.
Mr. Wyehe, from the committee on finance, made a report, stating that Samuel F. Patterson had executed the bonds required by law, &c. and entered upon the duties of his office as public treasurer; setting forth the condition of the treasury; and recommending the adoption of a resolution authorizing the treasurer, should it become necessary during the fiscal year, to borrow, on behalf of the state, a sum not exceeding 40,000 dollars; which resolution was read three times, and ordered to be engrossed.
The engrossed resolutions from the other house, relative to the distribution among the states of the public lands, was laid upon the table—yeas 33, nays 24.
Yeas—Messrs. Arrington, Baker, Brittain, Burns, Cooper of Martin, Cowper of Gates, Dobson, Durham, Edmonston, Edwards of Person, Edwards of Warren, Ennet, Flynt, Flowers, Gavin, Hawkins, Holmes, Howell, Hussey, Kerr, Lindsay, Lockhart, McCormick, Montgomery of Hertford, Moyer of Greene, Staley, Spaight, Stephens, Wilder, Whitaker, Whitehurst, Wyehe, Wilson.
Yeas—Messrs. Barco, Beard, Batesman, Caldwell, Dowd, Fairley, Harrison, Hogan, Kendall, Little, Lowry, McMillan, McQueen, McWilliams, Mast, Montgomery of Orange, Moyer of Pitt, Parker, Phelps, Sawyer, Sherard, Shipp, Welborn.

Wednesday, January 7

The bill to subject legacies, distributive shares, &c. to attachment in like manner as other property, and the bill to incorporate the Montgomery Gold Mining Company, were postponed indefinitely.
A great many bills were matured and ordered to be enrolled.
Thursday, January 8
The bill to establish the Merchant's and Farmer's Bank in the town of Washington—the bill authorizing the election of constables in Greensborough and Jamestown—the bill to exempt vessels under 75 tons from paying pilotage at Ocracoke bar—the bill paying the County Court of Granville to make allowances in certain cases—the bill to incorporate the Bible Society of North Carolina, and the bill to incorporate the Howard Gap Turnpike Company, were severally read and indefinitely postponed.

Friday, January 9

The bill authorizing the entry of the unsurveyed Cherokee lands—the bill to surveying corner's fees—the bill to

provide for the temporary appointment of registers in certain cases—the bill to amend the several acts vesting the right of electing sheriffs in the people—the bill amendatory of the act to establish a Bank of the State, and the bill to improve the Cape Fear river above Fayetteville, were severally read and postponed indefinitely.

The resolution declaratory of the opinion of the Senate on the right of instruction, was read and laid on the table.

Saturday, January 10

After some unimportant business, on motion of Mr. Beard,

Resolved, unanimously, That the thanks of the Senate are due, and they are hereby tendered to the Hon. William D. Moseley, speaker thereof, for the able, dignified and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of the Senate during the present session.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Monday, January 5

The house resumed the unfinished business of Saturday, being Mr. Henderson's resolutions relating to a distribution of the public lands. The question, raised on Mr. Haywood's motion to amend, to strike out the original resolution, was decided in the negative—64 to 53. Mr. Bragg moved to lay the resolutions on the table; which was negatived—70 to 38. Mr. Bragg then moved to add the following after the second resolution, which motion also was negatived—68 to 41:

Resolved, That this General Assembly highly approve of the message of Andrew Jackson, President of the United States, transmitted to the Senate of the United States on the 4th December, 1833, containing his reasons for withholding his assent to a bill passed by Congress at the preceding session, usually denominated "Mr. Clay's Land Bill."

Those who voted upon this amendment were

Yeas—Messrs. Roddie, Bragg, Braswell, Brown, Bynum, Byrum, Carter, Coor, Devton, Fitzrandolph, Foushee, Gunn, Gwyn, Hamre, Haywood, Houlder, Hutcherson, Iron, Jordan, Judkins, Lee, Lyon, Marsteller, Potts, Powell, Riddick, Register, Roebuck, Shade, J. L. Smith, Swannor, Tatham, Taylor, Tomlinson, Wadsworth, Walker, Whitfield, Wiley, Jacob Williams, Ziglar.

Nays—Messrs. Albritton, R. H. Alexander, G. H. Alexander, Bell, Barringer, Battle, Bedford, Bell, Blatchford, Blalock, Brandon, Bray, Brummett, Candler, Clement, Craige, Crump, Dockery, Dudley, Fleming, Foreman, Gorrell, Graham, Hawkins, Harper, Harrison, Hartley, Henderson, Harris, Hoke, W. Horton, J. Horton, Howard, King, Kittrell, Latham, Lilly, Lindsay, Locke, Long, Loudermilk, Manly, Manney, Martin, Mathews, Monk, McCleese, McLean, McNeil, McPherson, Norcum, Ousby, Outlaw, Perkins, Ponderexter, Rush, Seawell, Sloan, Smallwood, G. S. Smith, Tillett, Watson, Waugh, Weaver, Welch, Williams of Green, Williams of Richmond, Wither.

Mr. Haywood moved to add to the second resolution the following words, "And such distribution ought not to be made so as to give any preference to the new states like that proposed in the bill, commonly called 'Mr. Clay's Land Bill,' which was vetoed by President Jackson." Mr. Dudley moved to strike out all of said amendment after the words "new states," which was not agreed to—66 to 51. The question then recurring on the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Haywood, it was decided in the negative—59 to 37.

The original resolutions, as submitted by Mr. Henderson on the 20th ultimo, were then adopted and ordered to be engrossed—yeas 82, nays 32.
Yeas—Messrs. Albritton, R. H. Alexander, G. H. Alexander, Allison, Baker, Barringer, Battle, Bedford, Bell, Blatchford, Blalock, Brandon, Bray, Brummett, Candler, Clement, Coor, Craige, Crump, Doveport, Dockery, Dudley, Fleming, Foreman, Gorrell, Graham, Gunn, Hawkins, Harper, Harrison, Hartley, Henderson, Henry, Hoke, W. Horton, J. Horton, Houlder, Howard, King, Kittrell, Latham, Lilly, Lindsay, Locke, Long, Loudermilk, Manly, Manney, Martin, Mathews, Monk, Mullen, M. McCleese, McLean, McNeil, McPherson, Norcum, Ousby, Perkins, Ponderexter, Rush, Seawell, Sloan, Smallwood, G. S. Smith, Stockard, Swadell, Taylor, Tiblett, Tomlinson, Wadsworth, Walker, Watson, Waugh, Weaver, Jacob Williams, Williams of Green, Williams of Richmond, Wither, Ziglar.

Nays—Messrs. Roddie, Bragg, Braswell, Brown, Bynum, Byrum, Carter, Fitzrandolph, Foushee, Frink, Gwyn, Harris, Haywood, Hutcherson, Lyon, Marsteller, Perry, Potts, Powell, Register, Roebuck, Shade, J. L. Smith, Swannor, Tatham, Whitfield, Williamson.
Tuesday, January 6
Mr. Houlder presented a resolution recommending to the people specially to instruct their delegates to the convention to vote for or against the thorough representation in the legislature; which was postponed indefinitely.
The following bills were postponed indefinitely: Providing a reward for the taking up of runaway slaves in Pennsylvania, New York, &c.; concerning the exercise of suffrage by free persons of color; additional to the acts now in force