

Mr. Cresap from the committee delivers the following report :

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Christopher Parrott, a sergeant in the revolutionary war, report, that they have had the same under consideration, and find the facts therein stated to be true, they therefore recommend the following resolution :

Resolved, That the treasurer of the western shore of the state of Maryland be and he is hereby directed and required, to pay to Christopher Parrot, late a sergeant in the revolutionary war, or to his order, during life, in quarterly payments, annually, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a sergeant.

By order,

G. MURDOCH, Clk.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, concurred in, and the resolution therein contained assented to.

Mr. Williams delivers a petition from Hugh Connelly, sen. of Washington county, a revolutionary soldier, praying compensation for his services ; which was read and referred to Messrs. Williams, Bowles and Watkins. Also a petition from the clerk of Washington county court, praying that a law may pass authorising him to rent a house for the clerk's office until the completion of the new court house ; which was read and referred to Messrs. Williams, Bowles and Schnebly.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Job Wilson, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. W. Stewart delivers petitions from John Croxall and John Ricaud, of the city of Baltimore, George W. Todd of Baltimore county, Nicholas S. Jones of the city of Baltimore, and David Jones of Kent county, severally praying a special act of insolvency ; which were read and referred to the committee appointed on petitions of a similar nature.

Mr. Roberts delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Queen-Anne's county, praying for a road from Dudley's meeting house to Calister's ferry, beginning at the point where the division line between the lands of Vinson Benton and Senah Busick intersects the main road leading from I B to Dixon's tavern ; which was read and referred to Messrs. Roberts, Harrison and Stevens.

Mr. Hands delivers a petition from Richard Dudley, of Talbot county, and Henry W. Gibbs, praying special acts of insolvency ; which were severally read and referred to Messrs. Hands, Hambleton and Manning.

The bill to lay out and open a road from a gate on the side of the road leading from the Rising Sun towards Charles Town, on the lands of the late Joseph Reynolds, in Cecil county, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Washington delivers petitions from sundry inhabitants of Montgomery county, praying for a road from Clarksburgh through Damascus to the Baltimore turnpike road, to intersect said road at New Lisbon in Anne-Arundel county, and a counter petition thereto from sundry inhabitants of the said county.

Mr. R. Dorsey delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Anne-Arundel county, praying for the road above mentioned ; which were severally read and referred to Messrs. Washington, Lanham, R. K. Watts, R. Dorsey, T. H. Dorsey, Sellman and Watkins.

Mr. Warner delivers a petition from sundry members of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the city of Baltimore, praying legislative interposition to prevent kidnapping ; which was read and referred to the committee of grievances and courts of justice.

On motion by Mr. Long, the house proceeded to the second reading of the bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, "An act to provide for the organization and regulation of the courts of common law in this state, and for the administration of justice therein. On motion by Mr. Harrison, the question was put, That the words "wherein no associate judge of the county court resides," in the first section of the bill, be stricken out ? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Bradford, the question was put, That the words "to retailers and ordinary keepers," be inserted after the word "permits" in the 4th line of the first section of the bill ? Determined in the negative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass ? Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. R. K. Watts delivers a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and open a road in Montgomery and Anne-Arundel counties ; which was read.

Mr. Blakistone delivers a bill, entitled, An act to alter the time of the meeting of the general assembly this state, and for other purposes ; which was read.

Mr. H. Hall delivers a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to authorise the levy court Harford county to levy a sum of money for building a bridge ; which was read.

Mr. Potts delivers a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the town of Westminster, in Frederick county, through Harman's Gap, to Lager's town in Washington county ; which was read.

Mr. Kell delivers a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for amending and reducing into system the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, the duties of executors, administrators and guardians, and the rights of orphans and other representatives of deceased persons ; which was read.

The supplement to the act, entitled, An act for opening and extending St. Paul's-street in the city and precincts of Baltimore, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Frey delivers a petition from the president and directors of the Conowingo bridge company, praying for a law augmenting the capital stock of the said company ; which was read and referred to Messrs. Frey, Kell, Bradford, Thomas and A. D. Mitchell.

Mr. Price delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, praying for a road to be laid out and opened from Moses Freeland's mill to intersect the turnpike road leading from Baltimore to Hanover in the town of Hampstead ; which was read and referred to Messrs. Price, Showers and Harryman.

The bill relating to the extension of Aisquith-street in the precincts of Baltimore, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Kell delivers a petition from the St. Andrew's Society of Baltimore, praying to be incorporated ; which was read and referred to Messrs. Kell, W. Stewart and Warner.

Mr. Ringgold delivers a petition from Jacob Jeffries, of Queen-Anne's county, a revolutionary soldier, praying compensation for his services ; which was read and referred to Messrs. Ringgold, Boyer and Hillington.