

erson and Mary H. Henderson to convey the lands therein mentioned; and the bill to authorise John D. Healy, of Harford county, to import into this state certain negroes therein mentioned; severally endorsed "will not pass." Also the bill authorising the levy court of Washington county, to levy and assess a sum of money for the support of a foundling child; and the further supplement to the act, entitled, An act concerning crimes and punishments, severally endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. Also the supplement to an act to incorporate the Phoenix Fire Insurance Company of Maryland; the bill further to continue an act passed at November session one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, entitled, An act to incorporate the Maryland Insurance Company; the bill to continue an act passed at November session one thousand eight hundred and four, entitled, An act to incorporate the Chesapeake Insurance Company; the bill further to continue an act passed at November session 1795, entitled, An act to incorporate an Insurance Company in Baltimore Town; and the bill to incorporate the Octoraro Navigation Company, severally endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were severally read, assented to, and the bills ordered to be engrossed. Also a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of the poor persons in the several counties therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass;" which was read. Also a report from the president of the Potomac Company, agreeably to a resolution of this session; which was read And the following message.

BY THE SENATE, January 31, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The senate have rejected several bills from your house for the relief of sundry persons therein mentioned, and in order to save time and to prevent the accumulation of laws on the statute book, have passed one general bill, in which they are all included, this bill is now sent down to you for concurrence.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.

Which was read.

The bill to alter the time of holding the county court in Dorchester county, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Keller reports a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the erection of a new market-house in Hagers Town, Washington county; which was read.

The bill for the benefit of Horatio M. Eldery and George Forbes, of Charles county, was read the second time and passed.

On the second reading of the supplement to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the line of the District of Columbia, where it crosses the post road leading from George Town to Frederick Town, through Montgomery and Frederick counties, to Frederick Town On motion by Mr. Key, That the words, "by or near M. Pherson's ferry," be inserted in the first section after the words, "to Hyatts Town."

A motion was made by Mr. W. R. Stuart, and the question put, That the house adjourn? Resolved in the affirmative.

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

TUESDAY, February 1, 1820.

The house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill for the benefit of Horatio M. Eldery and George Forbes of Charles county; the bill to alter the time of holding the county court in Dorchester county; and the additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for regulating the mode of staying executions, and repealing the acts of assembly therein mentioned, and for other purposes, were sent to the senate.

Mr. R. T. Hall reports a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Aquila Beall, clerk of Prince-George's county court; which was read.

Mr. Dorsey presents a petition from George H. Spalding, sheriff of Charles county, praying he may be authorised to execute his bond as such, and to have the same effect as if it had been done within the time limited by law; which was read and referred to Messrs. Dorsey, Garner and Jenifer.

The resolution in favour of William Ritchie and Ezra Mantz, was read the second time, assented to, and sent to the senate.

The bill authorising Henry E. Coalman to remove certain negroes from the state of Louisiana, into this state, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill for the relief of Joseph and Philip Turner, of Saint-Mary's county, was read the second time, and on motion by Mr. Jenifer, the question was put, That the further consideration of the same be referred to the next general assembly? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the senate.

The further supplement to the act for the preservation of the breed of fish in the river Susquehanna, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill to make public certain streets in the city of Annapolis, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Dorsey reports a bill, entitled, An act to authorise the orphans court of Charles county to take the bond of George H. Spalding, sheriff of Charles county; which was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Breckenridge. Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act to incorporate the Charitable Marine Society of Baltimore. Ordered, That Messrs. Breckenridge, Montgomery and Duvall, report the same.

Mr. Breckenridge reports said bill; which was read.

Mr. Lecompte reports a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act to incorporate a company for the building a bridge over the North West Branch of Nanticoke river, at a place heretofore called Crotcher's Ferry, but now known and called by the name of the Rising Sun; which was read.

Mr. Willis delivers the following report:

Whereas it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Caroline