

use of the militia ; which was read and referred to Messrs Mansby, Forwood, of Wm. and Dallam. Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Abner Neale, Francis Wills, and John Cole, of the city of Baltimore ; which was read the first and second time by special order passed, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. J. H. Thomas, the following message was read, agreed to, and together with the bills to which it relates sent to the senate.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Jan. 27, 1814.

*Members of the Senate,*

We return to your body the bill entitled, an act to authorise a lottery for finishing and completing the Protestant Episcopal Church in Frederick-Town, and also the bill entitled, an act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for certain purposes therein mentioned, and hope that on reconsideration, the senate may be induced to assent thereto.

By order,

UPTON S. REID, Clk.

Mr. Boyer delivers a bill entitled, an act to establish a bank at Chester town, in Kent county, to be called the Chester-town Bank ; which was read.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill entitled, an act for the relief of James Chalmers and Alexis Roman, of the city of Baltimore ; which was read.

Mr. Callis delivers a bill entitled, an act to confirm an act entitled an act to alter, change and repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state, as relate to the division of Prince George's county into election districts ; which was read the first and second time by special order, passed and sent to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act to incorporate a Charitable Society in the town of Easton, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act extending the benefit of the insolvent laws to certain petitioners therein mentioned and the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Washington Blanket and Woolen Manufacturing Company, of Prince George's county, were read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Kilgour, *Ordered*, that Thomas H. Bowie be heard at the bar of the house, on the subject of his memorial, contesting the legality of the election held in the city of Annapolis, for delegate to the general assembly, and that he may be permitted to examine any witnesses who may be called to give testimony on the said subject.

The bill entitled, an act to fix and regulate the quality of silver plate manufactured or sold or offered for sale in the city of Baltimore, and for other purposes, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill entitled, an act authorising the raising a sum of money by a lottery or lotteries, to build an arsenal for the city of Baltimore, and for other purposes, were read the second time, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The house proceeded to the consideration of the bill entitled, a further 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. Mr. Potter moved to strike out the whole of the bill after the words, "Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland," for the purpose of substituting the following :

"That no execution shall issue on any judgment supercede in the manner prescribed by an act entitled, a further 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, passed at the May session, 1813, before the first day of September next."

On motion by Mr. Culbreth, the question was put, that the following be received as an amendment to the amendment. "Provided always that if any security in any supersedeas as aforesaid shall think himself or herself in danger of suffering by the delay hereby given, that the plaintiff shall have liberty, and is hereby required, on application of any such security, to take out execution upon such judgment, any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding ; and if the plaintiff on the request of any security in a supersedeas as aforesaid, shall fail, for the space of six days to take out execution as aforesaid, such security shall be and is hereby declared to be discharged from his securityship as aforesaid ; and provided also, that execution as aforesaid may be stayed by again superceding the same in conformity with the provisions of the aforesaid supplementary act ; and in case of a supercedeas as aforesaid, the securities in the previous supersedeas, shall be discharged from all liability for the payment of any such judgment." The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Culbreth, Saulsbury.—2

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Plater, Millard, Royer, Hands, Browne, Sellman, Wm. Hall, Reynolds, Blake, Hiliary Turnor, Stonestreet, Ford, Rogerson, Randall, Warner, Stansbury, Martin, Robinett, S. Stevens, Bayly, Cottman, Stewart, Griffith, Tootle, Lecompte, J. R. Evans, Lusby, Hogg, R. Evans, F. M. Hall, Callis, Duvall, Wright, Quinton, Handy, J. Thomas Delaplane, Forwood, of Wm. Potter, Barney, Donaldson, Gabby, Jones, Kilgour.—45.

So it was determined in the negative.

The question was then put, that the house agree to the original amendment ? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs Millard, Boyer, Spencer, Brown, Reynolds, Blake, [Turner, Stonestreet, Ford, Rogerson,