

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following resolutions: A resolution in favour of Thomas Turner; In favour of the printer of the state; which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table; and a resolution in favour of the treasurer of the eastern shore, which was read the first and second time by especial order. And the following bills: A bill, entitled, An act prescribing the manner of instituting suits on bonds, notes, and other sealed instruments, where there are more obligors than one; a bill, entitled, An act to prevent swine from going at large in Queen's Town, in Queen Anne's county, which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. And returns the bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Samuel Clendenen of Cecil county, endorsed by that house, "read the second time and will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. And a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Elizabeth Morgan, of the state of New Jersey; which was received from the house of delegates with amendments, which amendments were dissented from by the senate, and receded from by the house of delegates, and returned to the senate. Ordered to be engrossed. And a bill entitled, An act for the better regulation of appeals from the several orphans courts in this state: which was amended by that house, the amendments dissented from by the senate, and receded from by the house of delegates. Ordered to be engrossed.

The bill, entitled, An act for settling the western limits of this state, and the dividing line and boundary between this state and the commonwealth of Virginia, was read the third time and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act relating to justices of the peace in the city of Baltimore, was read the second and by special order the third time, and the question being put, Shall the bill pass with the proposed amendments? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Mr. President, Messrs. Carmichael, Hughlett, Jackson, Magruder, Maxcy, Parnham, West.—8.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs Gale, Taney.—2.

So it was determined in the affirmative, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendments proposed. 1. Strike out from the word "constable" in the 4th line 2nd section to the word "and" in 5th line same section 2. Strike out the third section. 3. Strike out from the word "writing" 1st line 3d page to the word "twenty" 2nd line same page. 4. Strike out from the word "ratio" 5th line 3rd page to the word "and" 5th line same page.

The bill, entitled, An act providing for the increase of revenue of this state by laying a tax on brokers and lottery office keepers, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and will pass with the proposed amendments.

Amendments proposed. 1. After the word "selling" at the end of the 3rd line 1st section insert the word "such." 2. After the word "notes" 4th line 1st section insert, "as by the laws of this state it is may be lawful for a broker to buy or sell." 3. Strike out the words "the following" in the 2nd line 2d section and insert the word "an."

The clerk of the house of delegates returns the bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to relieve the people of this state, as far as practicable, from the evils arising from the demands made on the banks of this state for gold and silver by brokers, and to prohibit the officers of the different banks from buying and selling bank notes of the banks of this state at a less price than their nominal value, endorsed by that house, "will not pass." And a bill, entitled, An act for the support of Patsy Gardner and others, of Anne Arundel county; and a bill, entitled, An act to prohibit sheriffs from receiving negro slaves into the public jails of this state, except when committed by due course of law; and a resolution in favour of Richard Lockerman; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The resolution in favour of the officers and men belonging to the 23d regiment of militia, was read the third time by special order and dissented from, and sent to the house of delegates.

The bill, entitled, An act more effectually to protect the right of property in corn, and in other things adhering to the freehold, was sent to the house of delegates with amendments, and returned by that house endorsed, "amendments dissented from;" by the senate receded from, and returned to the house of delegates by the clerk, with the following message:

BY THE SENATE, February 19, 1819.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

Pursuant to your message of the 10th instant we have reconsidered our amendments to the bill, entitled, An act more effectually to protect the right of property in corn, and in other things adhering to the freehold, and so altered and amended them, that we hope they will meet with your approbation. We must however, say, we do not apprehend the amendments would have been the construction given by your honourable body, but in a case like this it is better to avoid every doubt on the subject.

By order,

R. HARWOOD, Clerk

The bill, entitled, An act to prohibit sheriffs from receiving negro slaves in the public jails of this state, except when committed by due course of law, was read the second and third time by special order and will pass.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following resolutions: A Resolution relative to publishing a law; in favour of the late Auditor; and in favour of the Somerset militia; which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. And a resolution in favour of Charles Ridgely, of Hampton; which was read the first, and by special order the second and third time, and assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to provide a summary mode of recovering the possession of lands and tenements holden by tenants for years, or at will, after the expiration of the terms, was read the third time and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for amending and reducing into a system the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, the duties of executors and administrators, and the rights of orphans and other representatives of deceased persons, and the bill, entitled, An act for the support of Patsy Gardner, and others, of Anne Arundel county, were read the second and third time by special order and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act to prevent swine from going at large in Queen's Town, in Queen Anne's county, was read the second and third time by special order, and will pass with the proposed amendment.