

had been spent in obtaining his country's independence. This house feel confident your honourable body was not aware of his situation, and therefore hope you will assent to the same.

By order,

J. BREWER, Clk.

Which was read.

And returns the bill relating to the town clerk of Elkton, endorsed, "on reconsideration will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Also the bill to alter the times of holding the Worcester and Somerset county courts in their spring sessions, endorsed, "will not pass."

The resolution respecting the surviving officers of the revolutionary war, and the resolution relative to bank reports, were read the second and third time by special order, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution in favour of Thomas Stallings and others, securities of Thomas Pollard; the resolution in favour of Daniel Schnebly, and the resolution in favour of Beane S. Pigman, were read the second, and by special order the third time, dissented from, and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution relative to printing the election law; the resolution relative to the state debt, and the resolution in favour of Daniel Sprinkle, were read the second, and by special order the third time, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution relative to publishing the law for the stay of executions, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and assented to with the proposed amendment. Amendment proposed. After the word "executions" 3d line insert the words "three times."

The resolution rescinding a resolution in favour of Joshua Rutledge, and the resolution relative to the public arms, were read the second, and by special order the third time, dissented from, and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution in favour of Capt. Solomon Frazier, was read the second and third time by special order, dissented from, and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution in favour of Doctor C. Mackenzie was read the second, and by special order the third time, and the question put, Will the senate assent to the same? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow.

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Gale, Howard, Maxcy and West—4.

NEGATIVE.

Mr. President, Messrs. Carmichael, Emerson and Hollyday—4.

Determined in the negative, and sent to the house of delegates, with the following message.

BY THE SENATE, February 14, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have rejected the resolution in favour of Colin Mackenzie; the first instalment becomes due in the present year. We are willing to assent to a resolution to pay the first instalment, but we see no necessity of extending the resolution farther.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.

The clerk of the house of delegates returns the bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act authorizing a lottery for raising a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned, passed at November session eighteen hundred and nine, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution relative to the penitentiary, was read the second, and by special order the third time, the question put, Will the senate assent to the same? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow.

AFFIRMATIVE.

Mr. Howard—1.

NEGATIVE.

Mr President, Messrs. Carmichael, Emerson, Gale, Hollyday, Jackson, Maxcy, Parnham and West—9.

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Gale to reconsider the resolution in favour of William Wellman, the question was put, Will the senate reconsider the same? Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Gale, the following order was adopted. Ordered, That when the senate adjourn they adjourn to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 8 o'clock.

TUESDAY, February 15, 1820.

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

The engrossed bills of the senate No. 162, 163, 164, 190, 191, were sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution relative to the penitentiary was sent to the house of delegates.

The following message was sent to the house of delegates, with the resolution to which it relates.

BY THE SENATE, Feb. 15, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message requesting the senate to reconsider the resolution in favour of William Wellman. It appeared when that resolution was under consideration, that said Wellman enlisted for the term of three years, and that he remained in service only seven months. It did not appear to the senate that he was honourably discharged. We therefore decline a reconsideration thereof.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.

The following message was sent to the house of delegates.

BY THE SENATE, Feb. 15, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We are prepared to close the session immediately, and have appointed Messrs. Maxcy and West, on the part of the senate, to join such gentlemen as may be named by your house, to wait on the governor, and request his attendance in the senate chamber, for the purpose of signing the laws, according to the constitution and form of government.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.