

On motion by Mr. Orrell, the question was propounded, Will the house agree to adopt, and propose to the senate, the following, to come in at the end of the bill, by way of further amendment, and as an additional section, viz.

“And be it enacted, That the state reserves to herself the right of taxing the profits arising from the stock of this company.”

And it was determined in the negative.

The bill having been read through, the question was propounded, Shall the said bill pass, with the amendments proposed and adopted by the house, as above?

And it was resolved in the affirmative.

The house then adjourned until to-morrow morning ten o'clock.

THURSDAY, February 14, 1826.

The house met. Were present, the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill from the senate, entitled, An act to incorporate the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road Company, passed by this house yesterday, with the proposed amendments, was returned to the senate.

Petitions and memorials, of the following titles, were this day severally presented:

By Mr. Hope, the petition of Samuel L. Spicer, of Harford county, praying for a divorce from his wife Rosanna A. Spicer; which was referred to the committee on divorces.

By Mr. Ely, the petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, praying the repeal of an act passed at December session eighteen hundred and twenty-six, entitled, An act supplementary to an act passed at November session seventeen hundred and ninety-seven, chapter 11; which was referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

By Mr. Tilghman, the petition of William Ringgold, of Queen-Anne's county, praying that the state may relinquish its right to certain property therein mentioned, and transfer the same to his infant daughter Mary Elizabeth Ringgold; which was referred to a select committee of three members, consisting of Messrs. Tilghman, Ruth and Ridgaway.

By Mr. Peter, the petition of sundry citizens of Montgomery county, praying that a certain road therein mentioned may be laid out; which was referred to a select committee of three members, consisting of Messrs. Peter, Lee and Lansdale. And,

By Mr. Steuart of Baltimore, the memorial of the president and directors of the Union Bank of Maryland, praying that if it shall appear, that the public will sustain no injury by a sale of that portion of the stock held by the state, in