

the subject had been referred, reported a bill entitled, an act for the relief of George Shover, late of Loudon county; Virginia, and now confined for debt, in the jail of Allegany country.

Which bill being read the first time, was, on motion by Mr. Buskirk, read the second time by a special order obtained for the purpose, conformably to the 38th rule of the house, considered and passed without amendment.

Mr. Keene, from the select committee to which the subject had been referred, reported a bill, entitled An Act supplemental to An act, entitled An act for the regulation and improvement of the village of Denton, in Caroline county, and for other purposes.

Mr. Thomas, of St. Mary's, from the select committee to which the subject had been referred, reported a bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act, entitled An act to establish Pilots, and regulate their fees.

Mr. Hunt, from the select committee appointed for the purpose, reported a bill, entitled An Act to incorporate the Baltimore and Rappahannock Steam Packet Company. And

Mr. McNeill, from the select committee appointed on the subjects, respectively, reported two several bills, entitled An act respecting the western limits of the state of Maryland, and the dividing line and boundary between it and the commonwealth of Virginia. And

An act relative to the lots and lands westward of Fort Cumberland, in Allegany county.

Which said bills were severally read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Rogerson, from the committee therein mentioned, delivered the two following reports:

The Committee on Military Pensions and Revolutionary Claims, to which was referred the petition of Joshua Burgess, of the state of Kentucky, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Joshua Burgess, of the state of Kentucky, a Lieutenant in the Army of the Revolution, or to his order, during life, in quarter yearly payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a Lieutenant, as a further remuneration for his services during the Revolutionary war.

By order,

James C. Turner, clk.