

the Legislature, praying an act to authorise the sale of Choptank Bridge, be withdrawn from the files of this house.

Mr. Larrimore, chairman of the select committee, delivered the following report,

The select committee to which was referred an order, to enquire into the propriety of procuring a sword with appropriate ornaments, and presenting the same to John W. Holding, in behalf of the General Assembly of Maryland, as a testimonial of the admiration and gratitude of his native State, for his distinguished gallantry and highly valuable services during the last war with Great Britain—after having read and considered the testimonials hereunto annexed, begs leave to present an approbating resolution, in accordance with the above order which accompanies this report.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBT. LARRIMORE, Chairman.

By order,

Benj. Seegar, Clk.

By the House of Delegates,
March 2d, 1836.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby requested, to procure a sword with appropriate ornaments and devices, and present the same to Captain John W. Holding, on behalf of the General Assembly of Maryland, as a testimonial of the admiration and gratitude of this his native State, for his distinguished gallantry and highly valuable services, during the last war with Great Britain.

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. McMahon, the house took up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Pratt, entitled, an act to incorporate the Union Company.

On motion of Mr. McMahon, said bill was then laid on the table, and made the order of the day for Tuesday next, the 9th inst.

Mr. Carpenter chairman of the committee on divorces, reported a bill, entitled, an act to divorce Elizabeth Silratt, of the city of Baltimore, from her husband Henry Silratt,

Also, a bill, entitled, an act to divorce John Dolan of the city of Baltimore, from his wife Margaret Dolan, Also,

A bill, entitled, an act to divorce Catharine Hyland of the city of Baltimore, from her husband Benjamin Hyland,