

the affidavit of two credible witnesses, that the party claiming a pension under the provisions of this law, showing the identity of the claimant, that he or she is a *bona fide* resident of the State of Maryland, and that the soldier was a resident of the State of Maryland at the time of such enlistment, and has continued to be a resident ever since, and is now a *bona fide* resident of said State, and served (3) months as a soldier of the War of 1812, and that he or she is in indigent circumstances, &c.

Pending the consideration of which,

On motion by Mr. Henkle,

The bill, with proposed amendments, were recommitted to the Committee on Militia, with instructions to report on Monday next.

On motion by Mr. Earle,

Leave of absence was granted to Senators Malone and Welch until Tuesday next.

On motion by Mr. Snyder,

Leave of absence was granted to Senator Wilson until Tuesday next.

On motion by Mr. Fields,

Leave of absence was granted to Senator Maddox until Thursday next.

Mr. Fields asked and obtained leave of absence from to-morrow, Friday evening, until Thursday next.

On motion by Mr. Stephenson,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the House bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Harford county Railroad Company.

Said bill was then read the third time and passed by yeas and nays, as follows :

#### AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,  
Biggs,  
Browne,  
Carroll,  
Clarke,  
Earle,  
Fields,  
Henkle,  
Henry,  
Hyland,

Miller,  
Parker,  
Sellman,  
Snyder,  
Spates,  
Stephenson,  
Timmons,  
Welch,  
Wilson—19.

NEGATIVE—None.