

tion of the gallant services rendered by her husband, Gassaway Watkins, during the revolutionary war.

Which was read the first, and by a special order the second time.

Mr. England moved that said report and resolution be laid on the table;

Resolved in the affirmative;

On motion of Mr. England,

The yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Poultney	George	Claggett
Orrick	Paca	England
Welsh of B.	Cathell	Gaither
Randall	Richardson	Gittings
Lowe	Metter	Gott
Willis	Wm. Lynch	Sprigg of Al.
Parsons	Nail	Coombs
Frazier	Nicols	Thayer
Morton	Zeigler	Stull—28
Simcoe		

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Ridgely, Spr.	Keene	Graves
Gantt	Maccubbin	Seidenstricker
Estep	Sprigg of P. G.	Le Grand
Dorsey	Forman	Nesbitt
Dalrymple	Hooper	Weast
Weems	E. A. Lynch	Showers
Brent	Whiteford	Boyle—23
Matthews	Gallagher	

So the report and resolution was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. England,

said report and resolution was then made the order of the day for Thursday next, the 11th inst.

Mr. Matthews, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Elizabeth Measel, of Frederick county, praying for a pension;

Which was read the first and by a special order the second time, and concurred in.

A communication was received from his Excellency the Governor, by the hands of James Murray, esquire, Secretary of State, in relation to the order of the house of the 15th of January, calling for information respecting the pardon of certain individuals who were convicted at the October term 1839, of Allegany county court, of participating in the recent riots on the line of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and upon which were predicated his reasons for the pardons granted.

Which was read,