Mr. E. A. Lynch objected upon the ground, that the decision had been announced by the chair, before the call was made for the yeas and nays;

The speaker decided the call for the yeas and nays to be out of or-

der;

The question then recurred upon the substitute as offered by Mr. Coade,

After debate thereon, On motion of Mr. Coade,

The house adjourned until to-merrow morning 10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1841.

The house met. Present at the call of the roll, the following members:

Messrs. Coade, Causin, Edes, Gantt, Estep, Dorsey, Dalrymple, Brent, Matthews, Poultney, Orrick, Lowe, Willis, Parsons, Rider, Jones, of Somerset, Williams, Keene, Frazier, Morton, Simcoe, Maccubbin, Brewer, George, Paca, Forman, Hearn, Cathell, Hooper, Richardson, Motter, Wm. Lynch, E. A. Lynch, Naill, Sutton, Nicols, Gallagher, Graves, Seidenstricker, Le Grand, Nesbitt, Weast, Zeigler, Claggett, England, Gittings, Gott, Sprigg, of Allegany, Coombs, Thaver, Boyle, Lecompte, Stull.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill, entitled an act for the benefit of Rezin Smallwood, a colored man:

Also the bill, entitled an act in favor of Sarah Baldwin, of Har-

ford county; and

The till, entitled an act to give the magistrates of Baltimore city jurisdiction herein mentioned;

Were sent to the Senate.

Mr. Coad presented the petition of sundry citizens of St, Mary's county, in relation to hawkers and pedlars;

Mr. Maccubbin presented the petition of sundry citizens of Notingham and its vicinity, in Prince George's county, praying additional legislation in relation to hawkers and pedlars; and

Mr. Lecompte presented the petition of Elizabeth Warner, pray-

ing a special act for her benefit, &c.;

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Paca presented the petition of Josephine Hawke, praying to be divorced from her husband, Richard J. Hawke;

Which was read and referred to the committee on divorces.

Mr. Paca also presented the petition of James Bryant, of Queen Anne's county, praying for a pension;

which was read and referred to the committee on pensions and

revolutionary claims.