

James Irwin, and the petition of Andrew McAdoo, reported unfavorably thereon;

Read and concurred in.

Mr. Knight, chairman of the said committee, submitted the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland be, and he is hereby authorized to pay to Asaph Colegate, a soldier of the revolution, the half pay of a private, from and after this date.

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Schley submitted the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland pay to Gilbert Murdoch, the sum of thirty dollars, for services rendered during the present session of the Legislature.

Which was read, assented to and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

The House took up the bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to complete the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to Cumberland, and for other purposes;

Read the second time by special order.

Mr. Richardson of Baltimore then arose to a point of order, "whether the House could entertain this bill, because its provisions are the same in substance and purport as those contained in the eleventh section of the bill entitled, an act to complete the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to Cumberland, which (when that bill was under consideration) on motion of Mr. Hollman, was stricken out.

Mr. Geyer being in the chair, was of opinion, and so decided that the propositions were similar—but the section referred to was not a distinct proposition and was not an original question before the House. If it had been an isolated and separate proposition, and the House had rejected it, the same proposition could not again under the rule be entertained. The section was stricken out of the original bill with a view to render it perfect, and this action does not, in the opinion of the chair, preclude subsequent action upon that separate proposition if presented as an original measure.

The question then recurred on the passage of the said bill.

Mr. Traverse moved the previous question;

And on being put,

On motion of Mr. Richardson of Baltimore,

The yeas and nays were required and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Hammond  
Morsell  
Laveille  
Willis  
Sherwood  
Lowe

Richardson of D.  
Bayne  
Hamilton  
Johnson  
Carmichael  
Dennis

Sutton of Har.  
Hope  
Johns  
Culbreth  
Gallagher  
Darby