

THURSDAY, March 10th, 1842.

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

Messrs. R. M. Gale, J. H. Gale, Sutton of Kent, Owens of Anne Arundel, Sellman, Morsell, Duke, Laveille, Walker, Risteau, Randall, Willis, Sherwood, Lowe, Handy, Dashiell, Stone, Boggs, Eccleston, Nicols of Dorchester, Traverse, Richardson of Dorchester, Knight, Forwood, Tuck, Maccubbin, Hamilton, Johnson, Carmichael, Bryan, Newnam, Dennis, Powell, Cathell, Forman, Simmons, Staley, Geyer, Sutton of Harford, Johns, Nicols of Caroline, Culbreth, Downs, Gallagher, Graves, Pressman, Richardson of Baltimore, Grove, Hollman, Darby, Braddock, Gott, Gittings, Buskirk, Buchanan, Shaw, Powder, Davis, Boyle, Stull and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Simmons, chairman of the committee on Militia, to which was referred the resolution from the Senate, in favor of Captain Samuel M. Semmes, reported the same without amendment ;

Read the second time by special order, assented to and returned to the Senate.

Mr. Hope submitted the following resolution :

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to such members of the Legislature as may be detained by sickness at the seat of Government, after its adjournment, their per diem so long as they may be so detained.

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

Mr. Buchanan submitted the following resolution :

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That his Excellency the Governor be authorized to settle with the printers of the House of Delegates for such reports &c., as have been ordered to be printed by the House and not yet received, and that the printers be directed to forward the same by mail, within thirty days after the adjournment, to the members of the Legislature, the postage on the same to be paid for by the Treasurer of the Western Shore.

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

On motion of Mr. Grove,

Leave was granted to withdraw from the files of this House the petition of Mathias Corderman of Washington county.

On motion of Mr. Owens of Anne Arundel,

The House took up the bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act regulating the licenses of hawkers and pedlars, and for other purposes, passed December session 1840, chapter 154 ;

On motion of Mr. Owens of Anne Arundel,

The following amendments were read and assented to :

Strike out in the 7th line of the first section "one hundred and fifty" and insert "sixty."

Strike out the word "two" in the 8th line and insert "one."