

FRIDAY, January 7th, 1842.

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

Messrs. Causin, Sutton of St. Mary's, Hopewell, R. M. Gale, J. H. Gale, Owens of Anne Arundel, Dorsey, Sellman, Hammond, Morsell, Duke, Laveille, Crain, Matthews, Brent, Walker, Risteau, Poultney, Hook, Willis, Sherwood, Lowe, Handy, Dashiell, Stone, Boggs, Eccleston, Nicols of Dorchester, Traverse, Richardson, Knight, Forwood, Owens of Cecil, Bayne, Tuck, Maccubbin, Hamilton, Johnson, Bryan, Dennis, Powell, Cathell, Foreman, Simmons, Staley, Biser, Sutton of Harford, Hope, Johns, Bouldin, Nicols of Caroline, Culbreth, Gallagher, Graves, Starr, Lyday, Grove, Hollman, Braddock, Gott, Buskirk, Buchanan, Shaw, Powder, Davis, Boyle, Stull, Le Grand, (Speaker.)

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The resolution in favor of the administrator of Margaret King, late of Somerset county, deceased;

Was sent to the senate.

The Speaker laid before the house a report from the clerk of the court of Baltimore county, relating to the attendance of judges;

And a report from the same clerk, showing the amount of money paid by him into the treasury;

Severally read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Hope presented the petition of sundry citizens of Harford county, praying the repeal of the act establishing magistrate's courts in said county;

Read and referred to Messrs. Hope, Sutton, Johns and Bouldin.

The Speaker laid before the house a report from the clerk of Anne Arundel county court, relating to the attendance of judges;

And the report of the clerk of the court of Washington county, showing the amount of money paid by him into the treasury;

Read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Buchanan presented the petition of sundry citizens of the Cumberland election district, praying that the fund now given by the State to the academy at Cumberland be given to the common school fund of Allegany county;

Read and referred to Messrs. Buchanan, Shaw and Buskirk.

Mr. Starr submitted the following order:

Ordered, That his Excellency the Governor be respectfully requested to cause the national flag to be displayed from the top of the State House Steeple, on Saturday the eighth of January, in commemoration of the victory achieved by the American troops commanded by General Andrew Jackson, over the British forces on the eighth January, 1815;

Which was read;