

Doctor Richard Sappington, who was a surgeon in the revolutionary war, or to her order, in quarterly payments commencing with the first day of January 1844, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a surgeon, during her life, as a further remuneration for the services of her deceased husband.

Which was read the first and by a special order the second time, the report concurred in, and the resolution therein contained, assented to and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Johnson, chairman of the committee on Ways and Means, made unfavorable reports upon the petition of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying a law to be passed, compelling persons who bring coaches and other vehicles into this State for sale, to pay a license for the same.

Also, the memorial of forty-two citizens of Frederick county, praying a change of the license law in regard to hawkers and pedlars;

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

Mr. Hearn from the committee on Pensions and Revolutionary Claims, made a favorable report upon the petition of Elizabeth Steuart of Queen Anne's county, accompanied with the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby authorised and required to pay to Elizabeth Steuart, of Queen Anne's county, or to her order, during life, in quarter year'y payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a captain, in consideration of the services rendered by her husband during the war of the revolution;

Which was read the first and by a special order the second time, the report concurred in, and the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Franklin chairman of the committee on Divorces, delivered the following report:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Frances H. Horton, praying to be divorced from her husband Henry Horton, with instructions to inquire whether the case came within the jurisdiction of the courts, beg leave to report, that the facts disclosed by the petition clearly shew that the petitioner has ample remedy in the courts of equity in this State, and your committee therefore think no action should be taken in the premises by the Legislature.

J. R. FRANKLIN,

Chairman of the committee on Divorces.

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

Mr. Franklin chairman of the committee on Divorces, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of John Billmyer, praying to be divorced from his wife Rebecca Billmyer;

Which was twice read and concurred in.