

been made in the senate. Messrs. Quinton and Johnson, are appointed by the senate, to unite with the committee from your house, to count the ballots, and report the result.

By order, Wm. Kilty, Clk.

Also a bill, entitled, An act to authorise Solomon Etting, of the city of Baltimore, to improve a lot on Pine-street in said city, endorsed "will pass;" which was read.

Also the supplement to the act relating to the appointment of constables, and the bill for the revaluation of real and personal property in Dorchester county, severally endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were assented to, and the bills ordered to be engrossed.

Also the resolution relative to extinguishing the state debt, endorsed "assented to."

And the following message:

By the Senate. January 24, 1826.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have just received your second message of to-day, informing us of the nomination by your house of Philip Reid, Esq. in addition to the gentleman heretofore named by you, as a candidate for the senate, of the United States. No other nominations have been made by the senate.

By order,

W. Kilty, Clk.

The resolution in favour of Agnes M. Tannehill, was read the second time and assented to.

The house proceeded to ballot for a senator to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of the Honourable Edward Lloyd. The ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentlemen named to strike retired to the conference room, and after some time returned and reported, that Ezekiel F. Chambers, esquire, was elected.

Whereupon Resolved, That Ezekiel F. Chambers, Esquire, be, and he is hereby declared to be, the senator in the congress of the United States, in the place of the honourable Edward Lloyd, Esquire, resigned.

Mr. S. R. Smith presents petitions from the trustees of the Union academy, the Buckingham academy, and the Salisbury academy; which were severally read and referred to Messrs. S. R. Smith, Parker and Hooper.

Mr. Howard reports a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland Steam Navigation Company.

On motion by Mr. Perry, the following message was read and assented to:

By the House of Delegates, January 24, 1826.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We respectfully return you the bill, entitled, An act to authorise the recording of the deed therein mentioned.

The relief prayed for may be obtained through the intervention of our courts of equity; but the persons to be relieved are poor, their little hovel is their little all, the costs of a suit in equity would amount to more than the value of their property. We do not, therefore, think it would be deviating from correct legislation, to pass the bill, and hope upon reconsideration you will concur with us.

By order,

John Brewer, Clk.

The house adjourns until to morrow morning 10 o'clock.