

On motion of Mr. Bowie,

It was ordered that so much of the Executive message as relates to the fiscal affairs of the state, be referred to the standing committee on finance.

So much thereof as relates to the judiciary, be referred to the standing committee on judicial proceedings.

So much thereof as relates to military affairs, be referred to the standing committee on the militia.

So much thereof as relates to internal improvement, be referred to the standing committee on internal improvement.

So much thereof as relates to revolutionary claims, be referred to the standing committee on revolutionary claims.

Mr. Hambleton from the committee on Divorces, to which the leave was granted, reported a bill entitled, an act to confirm an act entitled, an act to alter and amend the constitution and form of government, so as to require two-thirds of each branch of the Legislature to annul a marriage contract.

Which was read the first time.

The Senate adjourned until to-morrow morning ten o'clock.

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FRIDAY, December 30, 1836.

The Senate met. Present the same Senators as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill entitled, an act to confirm an act entitled, an act to amend the Constitution and Form of Government so far as relates to the division of Allegany county into election districts, and to establish an additional election district, passed by the Senate on yesterday, was returned to the house of Delegates.

Mr. Ricaud submitted the following message,

Which was read and adopted.

By the Senate,

December 30th, 1836.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We propose with the concurrence of your honorable body, this day at twelve o'clock, to proceed to the election of a Senator to represent this State in Congress, to supply the vacancy occasioned by the death of the Hon.