

the same under consideration, and beg leave to report th at the existing laws of the State, particularly the act of 1833, chap. 87, extend to the said Thomas E. Sturgis, the relief he asks for—they therefore pray to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Thomas J. H. Eccleston, Cha'n.
Which was read the first, and by a special order the second time and concurred in.

Mr. Ridgely, submitted the following resolution,
Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Adjutant General be requested to furnish to the General Assembly, as early as practicable the names of all the Militia officers as they stood on the rolls prior to the 1st of November last, designating such as have not reported in obedience to the Militia Law of this State.

Which was read the first, and by a special order the second time, and assented to.

Mr. Boyd, reported a bill, entitled, an act to enable William Wilson, (of William,) of Hartford county, to manumit and set free, the negro man therein mentioned;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

The preamble and resolution submitted by Mr. Eccleston, on the 29th inst., in relation to the franking privilege, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and assented to.

Mr. Tuck, from the committee on the coloured population, reported a bill, entitled, an act to enable Theodorick Bland, to bring certain slaves into this State.

Which was read the first time,—Aad,
On motion of Mr. Alexander, ordered to have a second reading by special order.

Mr. Tuck, moved that said bill be recommitted;
Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Hood,
The House adjourned until Monday morning ten o'clock.



MONDAY, January 2, 1837.

The House met. Present the same members as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

The preamble and resolution relative to the franking privilege; also the resolution requiring the Adjutant General to