

Ordered, that James Harrisson, of Talbot county, have leave to withdraw from the files of the house, a petition and sundry other papers, relative to caution money paid by him into the treasury of this State.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Ordered, that the committee on the colored population, be directed to enquire into the expediency of prohibiting by law, slaves belonging to non-residents, going at large in this State.

Mr. Brengle, from the select committee, delivered the following report,

The committee to whom were referred several petitions and memorials, relative to Carroll county, beg leave to report, that the petitions and memorials aforesaid, ought to accompany the bill proposing to confirm the bill in relation to Carroll county, now on the table of the House as the order of the day for this day, Wednesday, beg leave to submit the following order,

Ordered, that the petitions and memorials aforesaid, accompanying the bill proposing to confirm the bill proposing to erect Carroll county, be part of the order of this day, Wednesday,

Which was twice read and adopted.

Mr. Boyd, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made a favorable report upon the petition of Patience Fitzgerald, widow of Benjamin Fitzgerald, a soldier of the revolution, praying for a pension, 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 directed to pay to Patience Fitzgerald, widow of Benjamin Fitzgerald, or order, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, the half pay of a Quarter Master Sergeant, during her life, as a further remuneration for his services during 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.

Mr. Kershner, reported a bill, entitled, an act in favor of John Frame, of Washington county

Which was read,—And,

On motion of Mr. Carpenter, referred to the committee on insolvency.

Mr. Perry, reported a bill, entitled, an act, supplemental to an act, to incorporate the Cumberland Hotel, in Cumberland;