The hour of is o'clock, prescribed by the rules of the house for taking up and considering the order of the day having arrived, the house accordingly presented to consider the report of the committee or elections and privileges, hade yenterday by him Steels for the admission of John McNeill, Junior, to a seat, as a member of this house, for Allegany county, and the amendment promosed thereto by Mr. Done, the chairman, reported, that the amendment promosed thereto by Mr. mission of John M. Neill, Junior, to a seat, as a member of this house, for Allegany county, and the amendment proposed thereto by Mr. Grason, for vacating the seat of Hugh Wallis, and the admission, in his stead, of Philip B. Travilla, as a member of this house, for Kent county, being the order of the day; when, On motion by Mr. Buchanan, seconded by two other members, the house was called and the door-keeper sent for the absent members. On the question, will the house grant leave to the committee of the whole house to sit as gain for the further consideration of said report, order and amendment. Mr. Tarner, of Baltimore county, (seconded to proceed with the ordinary business of the door-the session, during the absence of the door-the session during the absence of the door-the absence of the door-the session during the session d

Whereupon, Mr. Claude asked and obtain ed leave to bring in a bill to be entitled. A supplement to the act to provide for the public instruction of youth in primary schools in Anne-Arandel county.

And on his motion, it was Ordered. That a select committee of three members he appoint

And on his motion, it was observed by appoint-select committee of three members be appoint-ed by the speaker to prepare and report said bill. Messrs. Claude, Hood and Sellman, were appointed the said committee, pursuant

The door-keeper having returned, reported, that he had notified the absent members to at-

On motion by Mr. Elv. the house then resolved itself into a committee of the whole house for the purpose of considering the order of the day in reference to the said report of the committee on elections and privileges, to-gether with the order and amendment propos-ed in relation to the elections of delegates in Allegany and Kent counties, and after som time spent therein, the speaker resumed the chair, when Mr. Done, the chairman, reported, that the said committee had, according to ed, that the said committee had, according to order, had the said report with the proposed order and amendment under consideration, and having made some progress therein, directed him to ask leave to sit again; which leave was granted by the house.
On motion by Mr. Done.

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

Thursday, January 7th, 1830.
The House met. Were present, the same

members as on yesterday.

The Message, adopted by the House yes terday, relative to the assignment of a day, beyond which no bill, resolution, or other origi nal proposition shall be introduced into either House, except upon matters referred to Committees prior to the day so assigned, was

sent to the Senate for concurrence.

The Clerk of the Senate returned the resolutions of this House, of the following titlest
A rerolution in favour of George G. Brewer, late Assistent Clerk of the House of Dele-

gates. And, And the said Clerk delivered a bill, original And the said Clerk delivered a bill, originated in, and passed by, the Senate, entitled, A further additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of Sundry insolvent Debtors; which said bill, being read by its title, was, on motion by Mr Done, referred to the Committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Moors, from the Select Committee to which the subject had been referred, reported a bill, entitled, An act, to appoint Jane Johnson, of Harford County, Trustee for the Gentlemen

sale of certain land therein mentioned.

Mr. Burchenal, from the Select Committee appointed on the subject, reported a bill, en-tyloid, an Act to authorise the issuing of attach-mones by Justices of the Peace, for the reco-

Mr. Goldsborough offered the following or-

der:
Undered, That the Committee of Grievan-Ordered, That the Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice, inquire into the
expediency of amending the act of Descents,
passed at December Session, 1820, so as to
vest a discretion in the commissioners appointed for the division of the Real Estate of intestates, relative to the laying down and surveying the whole of the Estates thus to be divided.

Mt. Boyer, chairman of the committee on
Claims, delivered the following reports onthe accounts and proceedings of the
Treasurer of the western and pastern shores,
respectively, from the 1st day of Dec. 1828,
to the 1st day of Dec. 1829, viz.

BY THE COMMITTEE OF CLAIMS.
Your committee report, that they have exa-

Ordered, That the same Committee inqure into the expediency of extending the ju-risdiction of the Orphans Courts of this State, so as to vest in those Courts the right to apment of Real Estate of intestates undivided, making the Widow's dower answerable for a just proportion of such expenses and improveportion the expenses incurred in the improve

And on his motion, it was Ordered, That a select Committee of five members be appointed by the Speaker, to prememoers be appointed by the Speaker, to pre-pare and report said bill.

Messrs. Done, Irving, Brawner, Wright & Yoe, were appointed the said committee, pur-suant to the order.

The hour prescribed by the 7th rule of the

House, for taking up the order of the day, have On motion by Mr. Ely, seconded by two o

Cor members, the House was called, and the absent members sent for.

The Door-Keeper having returned, report ed, t at in obedience to order, he had notified

the absent members; that their attendance is the House was required.

The House then again resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole House, and resumed the consideration of order of the day, bemed the consideration of order of the day, being the unfinished business of yesterday in regard to the report of the Committee on Elections and Privileges, with the order, proposed Licenses to retail Dry Goods, Licenses to retail Spiritness Licenses to retail Dry Goods, Licen

The hour of 1s o'clock, prescribed by the | Neill, jr. to a seat in this House, as a dele-

And the question thereon being taken, was resolved in the affirmative. The house then adjourned until to-morrow ten o'clock.

Friday, Jan. 8th, 1830.

The house met. Were present the same members as on yesterday.

The speaker laid before the house a statement of the several sums of public money paid into the treasury of the western shore, by the clerk of Saint Mary's county court, for the year ending the 50th of November last; transmitted in obedience to the resolution No. 70, passed at Dec. session 1827; which statement was referred to the committee on ways and means.

Mr. Hunt asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate the Baltimore and Potomae Steam Packet company. And, on his motion, it was, Ordered, That a select compating of these premisers be appointed by committee of three members be appointed by the speaker to prepare and report said bill.— Messrs. Hunt, Nicholas and Buchanan, were appointed the said committee, pursuant to the

Mr. Nicholas, asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to alter the law in relation to the mode of appointing the Governors and Visitors of the jail of Baltimore county. And, on his motion, it was, Or-dered, That a select committee of five members be appointed by the speaker to prepare and report said bill. Messrs. Nicholas, Tur-ner, of Baltimore county, Buchanan, Ely and Johnson were appointed the said committee, pursuant to the order.

Mr Nichelas also asked and obtained leave to

bring in a bill, entitled, An act to alter the law in relation to the compensation allowed to judges of election in the city of Baltimore.— And, on his motion, it was, Ordered, That a select committee of three members, be appointed by the speaker to prepare and reportsaid bill. Messis. Nicholas, Hunt and Johnson were appointed the said committee, pur-suant to the order.

The clerk of the senate returned the bills o this house, of the following titles, An act to confirm an act, entitled, An act to alter and repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the division of Dorchester county into election districts;

endorsed will pass.
Ordered that said bills be severally engross

which the subject had been referred, reported a bill, entitled An act, for the benefit of Henry W Fitzhugh, now of the city of Annapolis. Also, delivered a bill originated in, and and punishments.

And delivered the following message which then unexpended, to wit:

By the Senate, Jan. 7th.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates, We have received your message, proposing the appointment of a joint committee of conference on the subject of an early adjournmen of the general assembly, and accede thereto The senate has appointed Messrs- Smith and Sewell its committee, to meet such committee

as may be appointed by your honourable body.

By order, L. Gassaway, Clk.

Mt. Boyer, chairman of the committee on
Claims, delivered the following reports concerning the accounts and proceedings of the

Your committee report, that they have exa-mined the proceedings and documents of George Mackubin, treasurer for the western settled to 1st December 1828, by mittee of Claims of the last General Assem ission under an act of Congress of the 18th

Mr. Done asked and obtained leave to March, 1780, and 830,325 73 cash. bring in a bill to confirm the title to property purchased at sales made by Sheriffs, Coroners, Constables, and Elisors.

Constables, and Elisors.

	1829-		
	On account of		
	Amerciaments,	818	
-	Auction duties,	32,437	05
2.	Auctioneers' Licenses,	6,200	
α. -	Bank Stock-for dividends,	\$0,388	34
г•	Billiard Table Licenses,	1.952	89
	The Board of Public Works,	55	
3¢	The Board of Public Wylas,	75	
7e	Chancery Records,	2.5	
	Costs of suit,	1,592	
0-	Direct taxes,	14,558	00
ne'	The Eastern Shore Treasurer,		
	Vines and Forfeitures.	3,991	
d	Punded 3 per cent stock.	*10,053	
	Howkers and Pedlers licenses,	802	
-	Interest (on personal accounts,)	1,928	23
	Internal improvement Sinking		
	Fand,	1,720	
0	Land Office Account,	3,403	.96
1-	Land Olice Account		
-	Licenses to dealers in Lottery	2,859	30
	Tickets, Dow Goods	362	
-	Licenses to retail Dry Goods,	302	

Licenses for Baces, Pisherie	200
Masters,	188, 10 8
Marriage Licenses,	8,489 561c
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Ordinary Latenses	20 ato 00 1
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Road Stocks	THE PERSON AS
State Lotteries	5,483 57
State Tobacco Inspection in	26,638 15
timore	20,000 IN 1-1
The State's Wharves in B	1,581 65
more,	8,341 30
Taxes on Plaintiffs, -	1,069 87
Taxes in Chancery,	18,593 86
Traders' Licenses,	
The Union Manufacturing	400
pany of Maryland,	
The University of Maryland	255 98
Victuallers' Licenses,	10000
	0000 070 50

Amounting to That it appears to your committee, the said treasurer has disbursed in the same time, the sum of one hundred and eighty two thousand three hundred and forty-five dollars and sixty ix cents, viz. On account of Chancery Records, 11,496 44 12,449 98 Civil Officers, Colleges, Academies & Schools, 1,000 The Colonization Society, Commission to the late State's Agent, W. Shore, 2,197 49 The Executive Contingent Indian Annuities, The Indigent Deaf and Dumb, 742 5 The Judiciary, The Legislature, 44,768 66 195 25 Loans of 1827-8, for interest, The Mayor and City Council of-2.390 13 Baltimore, The Militia, 4.461 73 Miscellaneous account, The Penitentiary, Penitentiary 5 per cent stock of 1,397 20 1822, for interest.

Pensions to officers and soldiers, and to their widows, The Public Buildings at the seat of government. Rail Road 5 per cent. stock, for interest, State Tobacco Inspection in Baltimore, The State's Tobacco Warehouses in Baltimore, University 5 per cent. stock of 1822, for interest, The University Sinking Fund.

5,500

\$182,545 66 Amounting to For all of woich payments, he has produced to your committee satisfactory vouchers and

The University of Maryland, for

1823-9.

That it appears to your committee, there re mains in the treasury, as of 1st Dec. 1829, the said sum of three hundred and thirty-five the said sum of three hundred and thirty-live thousand one hundred and four dollars seven-ty-four cents, funded 5 per cent, stock of the United States; three thousand one hundred and forty-three dollars ninety-five cents in bills of credit as aforesaid, and fifty-four liousand and fifty two dollars and fifty-seven cents, cash—which last sum they find stands to his credit as treasurer, in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, and is subject to the fol-

lowing appropriations, viz.

Balance of cash in the Treasury 1st Decem ber 1829,

a l	then unexpended, to wit:				
	To pay Civil Officers,	2,169	44		
	The Judiciary.	6,897			
	Pensions to officers and				
5	soldiers, and to their				
-	widows.	5,356	68		
ıt	The keeper of the go-	,			
	vernment house,	53	33		
d	The Journals of Ac-				
e	counts from 1826 to				
7.	1828 inclusive,	106	38		
	Indian Annuities.	99	17		
n	Expenses on account of				
1-	the Militia,	238	25		
e	Colleges, Academies &				
3,	Schools,	2,650			
3,	Interest on Penitentia-				
	ry 5 per ct. stock of				
	1822 and loan of '28,	663	23		
١-	Ditto on University 5				
of	per ct. stock of 1822,	250			
n	Ditto on loans of 1827.				
ıt					
	211 and 250.	924	58		
	Ditto on Rail Road 5				
•	and stock not				

per cent. stock, per act of '27, ch. 104, The State's Inspectors of Tobacco in Baltimore & their clerks, The claims liquidated in 950 pursuance of Resolu-tion No. 10 of 1822, 82 02 The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore 20,000 for 1829. The balance of the ap-

Fund, Common Free Schools Fund, County Schools Fund, Penitentiary/sinking fund, Penitentiary sinking fund, No. 2, University sinking fund, Tobacco Warehouse sinking fund, Tobacco Warehouse sink Rail Road sinking fund,

Amounting to

That it appears to your committee, the said treasurer has disbursed in the same time, the sum of 832,736 93 cents, viz. On account of the Free School Funddivers counties, Penitentiary sinking fund-invested, Penitentiary sinking fund, No. 2, invested, University sinking fund, invested, Tobacco Warehouse sinking fund, 1,292 50 invested, Rail Road sinking fund, invested, 2,625 Internal Improvement sinking fund, applied to the payment of the state's current expenses of the year 1829, in pursuance of chapter 192, section 4, of De-

\$32,736 93 Amounting to For all which payments and investments, he has presented to your committee, satisfac-tory vouchers and receipts.

cember session 1828,

That it appears to your committee there remains in the treasury as of 1st December, 1829, to the credit of the said funds, as par-

BY THE COMMITTEE OF CLAIMS. Your committee report, that they have examined the accounts and proceedings of William K. Lambdin, Treasurer of the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and it appears to your committee that he has received from the 1st day of December, 1828, to the 1st day of De-

ember 1829, on account of 82,362 81 Marriage Licenses. 46 06 1,461 57 Dry Goods Licenses. Ordinary Licenses, Retailers Licenses, Traders Licenses, Victuallers Licenses. Billiard Table Licenses, Hawkers and Pedlars Licenses, Taxes on Seals. Direct Tax, Amerciaments, Fines and Forfeitures, Taxes on Plaintiffs, Composition on Escheats. &c.

Making the sum of That it appears to your committee, that the said treasurer has disbursed in the same time, the sum of 87,232 64, for all which pay-ments, have been produced to your committee the necessary vouchers and receipte, to wit: ()n account of Treasurer of the Western

5,947 44 Shore, Commissions, 93 66 638 **31** Civil Officers, The Judiciary, Pensions. Miscellaneous Account, Amounting to the sum of Leaving in the Eastern Shore Treasury on the 1st day of De-

cember 1829, a balance of \$14,579 80 Which balance it appears to tee, the said treasurer paid over to the trea-surer of the western shore on the 9th day of act to reduce into one the several acts of sampley respecting elections, and to regulat

December, 1829. All which is respectfully submitted.

By order.

D. Ridgely, Clk.

n Anne-Arundel county.
Which said bill was read the first time, and

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ing report:
The Committee of the whole house, to which
was committed the report of the standing com
mittee on Elections and privileges, made on 988 50 the fifth instant, also the order, then submit ted by Mr. Steele, proposing to admit John 197 50 McNeil, junior, to a seat in this house, as a delegate, duly elected, for Allegany county, and the amendment to said order, offered it the same time by Mr. Grason, proposing to vacate the seat, in this house, of Hugh Wal lis, and admit in his stead, Philip B. Travil-la, as a delegate, duly elected, for Kentcour-

ty; report: That the said Committee, having taken the subjects, so committed to them, into serious consideration beg leave to recommend the a-doption, by the house, of the following amends

ment, viz: 1st. Strike out from the last paragraph of the said report of the committee on elections and privileges, the following words: have not been able to come to any satisfactory concluion thereon; and, therefore, they beg leave to be discharged from any further consideration on the subject,' and insert in their place these words: 'do recommend the adoption of the fol-

lowing order:
Ordered, That the seat of Hugh Wallis be vacated, and that John McNeill, junior, of Allegany county, be admitted a member of this house, and that he qualify and take his seat as such?

seat as such.

2d, And the said committee of the whole house do also recommend the rejection by, or withdrawal from, of both the order submitted by Mr. Steele, and the amendment proposed thereto by Mr. Grason, above mentioned in ticularly set forth in one of the accompanying accounts, a balance of \$55,855, cash—and this sum too, they find, stands to his credit as treasurer, in the Farmers Bank of Maryland.
All of which is respectfully submitted.
By order, David Ridgely, Clk.
BY THE COMMITTEE OF CLAMES

tute therefor.

The said report was read the first time,
And on the second reading thereof, by a And on the second reading thereof, of a special order, the question was stated enconcurring in the amendment recommended by the said report of the Committee of the Whols House to the said report of the Committee on the Privilence When

Elections and Privileges? When, Mr. Steele called for a division of the question on the said proposed amendment, in accordance with the twenty-fifth rule of the House.

And the question being accordingly put on 193 71 concurring in so much of the said amendment as proposes to strike out the words, above recited, from the last paragraph of the said report of the Committee on Elections and printers.

24 91 leges; It was resolved in the affirmative Mr. Brawner then proposed to amend the said amendment recommended by the report 102 10 of the Committee of the Whole House, by inserting in lieu of the word so stiken out, and as a substitute for so much of said amendment as proposes to vacate the seat of Hugh Wallace the following, viz: "do recommend the adop-tion of the following preamble, resolutions, and order.

Whereas, the constitution of the state of Maryland provides that the legislature consist of two distinct branches, a Senate and House of Representatives, which shall be styled the General Assembly of Maryland; and in prescribing the manner in which the House of Delegates should be chosen, directed, that Delegates should be chosen, directed, that supon the final casting of the polls, the four persons who shall appear to have the greatest number of legal votes, shall be declared and returned duly elected for their respective contition, it is provided, that the judges, place, time, and manner of holding the several elections for delegates, electors of the senate, and sheriffs of the several counties, shall thereafter the regulated by law.' And whereas, by an act be regulated by law.' And whereas, by an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed iment, entitled, in sembly respecting elections, and to regular the same, it was enacted, that every votes shall deliver to the judge or judges of election, in the district in which he offers to vote, a bal-All which is respectively.

By order,

On motion by Mr. Boyer, the reading by the Clerk, of the said reports, was dispensed with, and it was

Ordered, That the said Reports with the accompanying accounts, statements, and other documents, from the respective Treasury Departments, be referred to the Committee on the said ballots, there be found any more names written or printed on any of the said ballots, there be found any more names written or printed on any of the said ballots, there be found any more names written or printed on any of the said ballots, there be found any more names written or printed on any of the said ballots, there be found any more names written or printed on any of the said ballots, there be found any more names written or printed. Ordered, That the said Reports with the accompanying accounts, statements, and other documents, from the respective Treasury Departments, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Mesns, and that they be printed.

Mr. Claude, from the Belect Committee appointed on the subject, reported a bill, entitled, a supplement to the act to provide for the public instruction of youth, in Primary schools, in Anne-Armed a country.

The balance of the appropriation for 1828, and the whole of that 1,932 89 for 1829, per act of 1836, ch. 53, to augment the Library, 204 75 840,833 81 1,932 68 14,558 3,991 03 propriated, 203 20 1,932 75 80 10,053 08 Which, applied to the payment of the Journal of Accounts for the present session, 45,000 the Journal of Accounts for the ensuing year, 203 79 15 26 27 3,839 30 366 79 15 28 29 15 28 29 15 29 15 28 29 15 and not counted.

1. Therefore, Resolved, That every men.

Resolved. That it appears to this head by the memorial of Philip II. Travilla, of Rescandly who claim a right to a seat or fin foot, in the place of Hugh Wallis, who was returned by the independence lection the aid country, as one of the loar who had received the er, as one or the dute greatest number of legal votes; this several rates or billots were delivered thread judges, winted in manacr and forth following, viz.

"Fac tegitimate source of all political power is the people."

I'm Representative to Congress. George E. Mitchell. Edward Freeman,

James Boone, Philip B. Travilla, Janothan Harris

Which said ballots were rejected by said judges, and which, if allowed, would entitle

judges, and which, if allowed, would entitle him to his seat; that it is the opinion of this house, that on these ballots, was not written or printed the purpose for which the votes were given, plainly designed.

4. Resolved, that those votes cannot be held, considered, and adjudged to have been legal votes, and were properly rejected by the judges of election, and that Philip B. Travilla, not being one of the four persons who obtained the greatest number of legal votes, cannot be the greatest number of legal votes, cannot be declared and adjudged duly elected a delegate to the General Assembly of Maryland, for Kent county.

It is, therefore, ordered that the said Philip

B. Travilla, have leave to withdraw his me The said preamble, resolutions, and order

being twice read,

Mr. Brawner required a division of the ques tion on his motion,
And, after considerable discussion thereon;

The question was accordingly put on the first member thereof, i. e

\*Will the House assent to the said preamble and the first of the series of said resolutions, contained in the proposition for amendment?

And it was determined in the negative.

The question then recurred, and was put on the said motion for amendment, that the house assent to the second of the series of said resolu-tions? It was decided in the negative.

The question being then put, Will the house assent to the third of the series of said resolu-tions, contained in Mr. Brawner's proposition

It was decided in the negative. The question was then put, will the House assent to the fourth of the series of said resolutions? And it was decided, in the negative.

And on the question, will the House adopt the order contained in the said proposition for nendment? It was determined in the negative. The question then recurred and was put on concurring with that part of the amendment recommended by the said report of the Commit-tee of the whole House to the said report of

the Committee on Elections and privileges, which proposes to vacate the seat of Hugh Wal Where a sitting member.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Whereupon, Mr. Wellis left his seat, and retired from the House.

Mr. Hawkins then moved for an adjourn-

ment. This motion was negatived; Another motion for an adjournment was im-mediately made by Mr. Hood;

And again negatived.

Mr. Buskirk then proposed to amend the said smendment recommended by the report

of the Committee of the Whole House, by inof the Committee of the Whole House, by in-serting after the words, Ordered, That the seat of Hugh Wallis be racated, the following: And it is further ordered, that Philip B. Tra-villa, of Kent County, be admitted as a mem-ber of this House, in the stead of the said Hugh Wallis, and that he qualify and take his suit as such"
Which proposition of amendment being twice Hughlett moved that the same do lie on the

table: And the question being put,
It was decided in the negative.
On motion by Mr. Blackistone, (seconded

by two other members,) the House was called, and the absent members sent fpr.—When, Mr. Steele moved for an adjournment, This motion was also negatived. The door-keeper having returned, reported, that in obodience to order, he had notified the abent members, "that their attendence in the

House was required. The question was then stated and taken on he adoption of the amendment proposed by

Mr. Buskirk, as aforesaid.

It was reselved in the affirmative.

The questioned then recurred and was put the concurring in the residue of the amendment to the report of the Committee on Elections and Privileges, recommended by the report of the Committee of the Committee of the whole House, which proposed to admit John McNiel, Junior, as a menter of the house and that he qualify and take his safe as much

It was resolved in the affirmative. It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, on agreeing to the ameadment proposed by the Committee of the Whole House to the report of the Committee on Elections and Privileges, as smended, Audit was resolved in the affirmative.

On the question being stated, will the House as stafed in the last paragraph of their report.

Leave was granted for the withdrawal the states consideration of the House, of politics order and amendment, mentioned in said tenoric.

And the report of the Committee on Elec-tions and Privileges, as smended, being then

tises and Privileges, as amended, being then spin reads.
The question was put, will the house control in the said report, as amended?
It was resolved in the affirmative?
On motion By Mr. Gantis.
The house then adjourned, until to-morrow againg is a slock.
Saturday, Jan. 9, 1830.
The house met. West present the same members to or resolution, except Mr. Wallis,