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Also, the bill to incorporate the Talbot county Silk Company.

Also, a further supplement to an act, to incorporate the Delaware and Maryland Rail Road Company.

Also, the bill relating to the Alms House of Harford county.

Also, the bill for the relief of the Episcopal and Lutheran Church at Frederick city, in Frederick county.

Also, the bill for the benefit of the person or persons, who may or shall become the purchaser of the property of the Frederick Water Company.

Also, a further additional supplement to an act, for the regulation and improvement of the village of Denton, in Caroline county, and for other purposes.

Also, the bill vesting powers in the commissioners for Talbot county, for the purposes therein named.

Also, the bill to confirm and make valid the title of Horatio C. Scott, to a house and lot of ground in the Town of Upper Marlborough, severally endorsed, will pass, and the bills severally ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the bill, to alter and amend the constitution and form of government, so as to require the assent of two thirds of each branch of the Legislature to annul a marriage contract.

Also, the bill, to alter and amend the constitution and form of government of this State, so far as it relates to the representation in the house of delegates, from the city of Baltimore.

Also, the bill to provide for the building a bridge over the Beaver Dams in Baltimore county, where it intersects the falls road, severally endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendments, which amendments were severally read, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the bill, for the relief of the prior judgment and holders of Talbot county, endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendments.

Also, the bill to amend the constitution and form of government, as relates to the division of Cecil county into four separate election districts, endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendments.

When announced was severally read and engrossed.

Also, the resolution in favour of Margaret Waters, Clumney Parrish, Elizabeth Maryman, Nathaniel H. Elliott, Paschke Frazier, John J. Martin Thomas, and John Hays, severally endorsed, assented to, and severally ordered to be engrossed.

And delivered the following bills, originated in and passed by the senate, viz:

A bill, entitled, a supplement to an act, passed at a certain session of the year 1824, chapter 199, entitled, an act more effectually to prevent the anchoring of vessels in the fishery in the Chesapeake bay, and for other purposes.

A bill, entitled, an act to prevent the destruction of wild fowl in the Chesapeake bay, in the several counties therein mentioned.

A bill, entitled, an act to incorporate the Baltimore Whaling Company.—Also.

A bill, entitled, an act to incorporate the United States Hotel company, in the city of Baltimore.

And, a bill, entitled, an act to incorporate the Eatow Company.

The house adjourned.

Thursday, March 17th.

Mr. Davall presented a petition of Charles Jordan and Catharine Jordan, citizens of Southampton county, in the State of Virginia, by their attorney William J. Ross, praying for a law to make valid a will therein mentioned.

Mr. McLean presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying for the incorporation of the Citizens Bank of Baltimore.

Mr. McMahon submitted the following order.

Ordered, That after Monday, the 20th inst. no new business shall be introduced into this house (except petitions and memorials) during the present session, and that a committee of three be appointed by the chair, to examine and report what business it will be necessary to pass upon this session.

Which was read.

Mr. Ely moved to amend said order, by striking out all from the word "session," to the end thereof.

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said order was then read the second time as amended and adopted.

Mr. Merrick, chairman of the joint committee, delivered the following report.

The joint committee of the Senate and the House of Representatives, to whom the memorials of certain sufferers by the late riots in the city of Baltimore were communicated, have in obedience to the order of the house, been engaged in receiving the testimony adduced on the part of said city, in resistance to the prayer for relief, they have caused the testimony of each witness offered to be reduced to writing, and herewith respectfully submit it, and will hereby add that so far from this additional testimony operating any change in their opinions as expressed in their first report, it has served but to strengthen and fortify these opinions, and would of itself, in the judgment of the committee, furnish ample ground for the proposed bill to indemnify the memorialists.

On motion of Mr. Ely, ordered, that it be noted on the journal, that he dissented from said report.

Mr. McLean, chairman of the committee on corporations, to which was referred the bill from the senate, entitled, an act to incorporate the U-

nitied States Hotel company, of Baltimore, reported the same without amendment.

The said bill was then read the first, and by a special order the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The clerk of the Senate returned the bill to make valid certain proceedings therein mentioned.

Also, the bill to incorporate the Trustees of Newtown Academy, in Worcester county, severally endorsed, will pass, and be engrossed.

Also, the bill to establish Magistrates courts in the several counties of this State, and to prescribe their jurisdiction, endorsed will pass with the proposed amendments.

Also, the bill to extend Real Estate, endorsed, will not pass.

And, delivered a bill, originated in and passed by the Senate, entitled, an act to incorporate the Baltimore and New Orleans Packet Company.

Also, a communication from the Executive, endorsed, referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates, and is as follows:—

Executive Department.

Annapolis, March 15th, 1836.

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Delegates.

Under the resolutions of the General Assembly, making appropriations for repairs and improvements of the public buildings within the State House circle, and the walls and grounds surrounding the same, and giving the repaired notice for proposed contracts were made by the late Executive, with Messrs. Thompson and Jay, and Valued Surveyors, for the execution of several of said improvements, as could be made with the sum appropriated, and Dr. Dennis Cleckley, and Jeremiah Hughes, and George Wells, Esq., were appointed to superintend said improvements.

The accounts of the contractors have not yet been finally settled, but by the careful statement of the superintendants herewith transmitted, it will be seen that the amount appropriated is nearly exhausted, and that to continue and complete the improvements, upon the plan of what has been done, will require a further appropriation, which we respectfully recommend to your favourable consideration.

We have the honour to remain,

With the highest respect,
Your obedient servants,

THOMAS W. VAZEY.

Mr. Merrick moved to take up the report, and testimony, taken before the joint committee of the Senate and House of Delegates, to which was referred the memorials of John B. Morris, Reverdy Johnson, and others, praying indemnity for losses sustained by reason of the riots in Baltimore, in the month of August, 1835.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Merrick it was then ordered, that a committee of two members be appointed by the chair, to wait upon the honourable Senate, and inform them that this House is now in session, and prepared to hear the address of the counsel, in the case of the memorialists of John B. Morris, and others, praying indemnity for losses sustained by the late riots in the city of Baltimore, and invite their attendance.

And, thereupon Messrs. Merrick and Hamilton, were appointed the deputation, pursuant to this order, who having repaired to the senate chamber, returned and reported, that they had performed the service required of them.

The President and the other members of the Senate, were then received and conducted to the seats provided for their accommodation, within the bar of the house.

John V. L. McMahon, Esq., then addressed the house in support of the memorialists.

The house then adjourned.

Saturday, March 19th.

Mr. Dackett presented a petition of Hector Humphreys, of the city of Annapolis, praying the passage of a law authorizing him to introduce into this State a free coloured woman therein named.

Mr. Davall presented a petition of the vestry of the German Reformed Congregation, in Frederick city, praying for a law to authorize the executor of Stephen Ramsburgh, to pay to said vestry the sum of money therein mentioned, which was bequeathed to them.

Mr. McLean presented a memorial of Mrs. Eliza Chavaler, praying for a divorce from her husband Dr. Nicholas W. Chavaler.

Mr. McLean also presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the city of Baltimore, praying for the widening of Ruxton Lane, in said city.

And, presented a memorial of George P. Waeshe, for himself and others, praying the passage of a law, directing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to open a street therein mentioned.

And, Mr. Ridgely presented a petition of Martin Fenwick, of Anne Arundel county, praying that the Legislature will release to him the right of the state to certain lands therein mentioned.

Mr. Gilts submitted the following resolution:—

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Governor and Council be, and they are hereby authorized and required, on or before the first Monday in June next, to appoint three commissioners, citizens of Worcester county, and they, or any two of them, shall be authorized to employ an engineer, and to make a reconnaissance and survey, and to estimate the cost of a rail road within the limits of Worcester county, from some point on the south line of the State of Delaware, through the towns of Berlin, Newark and Snow Hill, to some suitable point on the Potomac river; also to extend the reconnaissance and survey from the assumed point of Delaware, in a straight line as may be, to the northern line of the State of Virginia bounding Worcester county, with a divergent route to any one or more of the places therein mentioned, or to connect the said route with any other works of improvement on a line by this State, or the States of Delaware and Virginia—including in such estimate the lands and right of way, with the necessary buildings, vehicles and all appurtenances—and the Executive are hereby authorized to adjust and allow for said reconnaissance and survey, such compensation and expenses as may seem reasonable, and draw therefor on the treasurer of the western shore.

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

On motion of Mr. Heard, said resolution was amended by inserting after the word Worcester county the following:—

"And they are hereby authorized to make requisition on the Governor of the State, for the services of their State's Engineer, and should they not be able to get the services of the said Engineer, then."

The said resolution was then read as amended and assented to.

On motion of Mr. Dackett, the house took up for consideration the bill from the senate, entitled, an act for the relief of the representatives of Richard Harwood, of Thomas, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased.

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The clerk of the senate returned the bill to authorize Elijah Taylor, former collector of taxes in the first collection district of Baltimore county, to complete his collections;

Also, the bill relating to riots;

Also, the bill concerning crimes and punishments, severally endorsed, "will pass," and the bills severally ordered to be engrossed;

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And, the bill, entitled, an act to provide indemnity to the sufferers by certain riots in the city of Baltimore.

Reverdy Johnson, Esq., then addressed the house in behalf of himself and the other memorialists, praying indemnity; on his concluding, the house adjourned until 5 o'clock P. M.

Thursday, March 24, 1836.

The Managers of the Female Orphan Society, of the City of Annapolis, hereby give notice that their Annual Meeting will take place at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Friday the 27th instant, at the Asylum. The report of the Secretary and Treasurer will then be submitted to the Society, after which Managers for the ensuing year will be appointed. The attendance of the members of the Society, and of its friends and patrons generally, is requested.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE.

AN EXAMINATION of the several Classes in this Institution will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 29th, 30th, and 31st inst., to commence at 9 o'clock A. M. and at 3 o'clock P. M. of each day. Gentlemen are respectfully requested to attend.

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EXAMINATION.

A public examination of the pupils in the Annapolis Primary School will be held at the school room on Green Street, on Thursday 31st inst., commencing at 9 o'clock A. M. The trustees of the school, parents, guardians and all interested are respectfully invited to attend.

RICHARD H. WATERS,
Teacher.

March 24, 1836.

We are authorized to say, that the following Ticket will be supported for the Common Council of this City on the first Monday of April next, by

MANY VOTERS.

JOHN RANDALL,
WILLIAM BRYAN,
JAMES F. BRICE,
RICHARD G. HUTTON,
JOHN T. BARBER, of John,
NICHOLAS H. GREEN,
JAMES H. ILLGHART.

The bill, entitled, An act to provide indemnity to the sufferers by certain riots in the city of Baltimore, passed the House of Delegates on Tuesday, by a majority of fourteen votes. It subsequently passed the Senate.

The bill, entitled, An act for the division of Baltimore and Frederick counties, and for erecting a new one, by the name of "Carroll," and to alter and change the constitution of this State so far as may be necessary, to effect the same, passed the House of Delegates yesterday.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Three lives lost—thirty-four horses burnt.

About five o'clock this morning, a fire broke out in the Wheelwright and Blacksmith shop of Mr. Ely in 11th street, near the 3d avenue, New York, which communicated to the extensive store of Mr. Jas. Murphy, in 11th street, near 3d avenue, which were destroyed, together with nearly all their contents, and what is melancholy to relate, three men perished in its flames! Their names were Patrick Dorsey, J. Kinney, and John Conway. Two of them slept in the stable, and the other had gone in to assist in rescuing the horses. Their bodies were found at 6 o'clock amongst some burnt straw, and so dreadfully burned as to render it impossible to identify them. A boy is also missing who is supposed to have been burned to death.

Mr. Murphy runs a line of stages from Wall street up the Bowery, and as might be supposed, had a great number of horses, thirty-two of which perished. Five stages and most of the harnesses belonging to the establishment were also burnt. The whole loss is estimated at \$10,000, and no insurance.

A three story brick house, occupied by Mr. Murphy, corner of 12th street and 3d avenue, was very badly damaged. It was owned by David S. Mills, who had no insurance. A frame building occupied by Mr. Van Tassel, formerly City Marshal, was destroyed, with most of its contents.

The fire, when at its height, ragged with grief, on account of the extreme combustibility of the materials, and at a distance had the appearance of an extensive conflagration.

It is suspected that the fire was caused by an incendiary, as no work had been done in the shop by Mr. Early for some time past.

Journal of Commerce.

A letter from an officer at Tampa Bay, to the New York Courier and Enquirer, gives the following more particular detail of the massacre of Major Dade, and his command.

The field where our brave men fell, exhibited in all its horrors those characteristics of savage inhumanity. Numbers who escaped instant death, lay wounded and bleeding—some leaning against trees and faint with loss of blood. As soon as nearly all were fallen, the brutal savages, a large portion negroes—rushed with blood-

thirsting yells and impetuous charges, ran their bayonets and closed the scene.

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