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HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Tuesday, January 10. PETITIONS PRESENTED.

By Mr. Dawson—from James W. Fling, of Montgomery, to authorise the payment of ar-

rears of a pension due James Fling-Also from Asa Hyati, and others, to lay out a certain

By Mr. Matthias-from John Formwalt, and

By Mr. Lichardson-from the commissioner of the Real Estate Bank of Baltimore, to enable them to commence operations with a capital of 8500.000. Also resolutions of the Mayor and City Council of B. Itimore, to condemn a lot of ad to extend Bel-Air Market.

B. Mr. Doub-from voters of Frederick, that the act to create Corroll county may not be confirmed. Also by Mr. Worthington, on same

Mr. Bruce- from sundry citizens of Allegany, to incorporate the Union Bank of Alle-

Mr. Kershner-from the Williams port Rifle Company, to be compensated for services ren- of Baltimor, and Frederick counti -, and for er-Mr. McLean-from the Board of Trade, for

in appropriation for another Ice-Boat Mr. Iglehart-from citizens of the fourth election district of A. A. county, for an alteration

By Mr. Richardson-to prohibit the wearing of Pistols, Dirks, Bowie Knives, and other dead-

Mr. Crisfield-to authorise the building of a wharf near White-Haven.

Mr. Eccleston-to alter the constitution s as to distranchise persons convicted of felony.

Mr. Maulsby—declaratory of the law con-

Mr. Boyd- to divorce Elizabeth Harvey of the city of Baltimore. Mr. Worthington-to repeal so much of the

act defining jurisdiction of justices of the peace as relates to Baltimore county.

The bill supplemental to an act for the relief of the heirs of Jane White was taken up for con-

sideration and postponed until the 17th instant. The clerk of the Senate returned the bill, to change the name of Ann Isett, of Frederick

p. ss," ordered to be engressed:-And delivered the following communication from the treasurer of the Western Shore, endoes d, enterred to the consideration of the House of Delegates," and is as follows-

Western Shore Treasury, Annapolis, January 9, 1837.

To the Horourable. The General Assembly of Maryland; The Treusurer of the Western Shore has the honour to state that, in pursuance and execution of the act of the present assion, entitled, "An were returned from the senate endorsed "will act to authorise the Treasurer of the Western Shere to receive such sum er sums of money as shall be awarded to the State of Maryland under the provisions of the act of Congress therein mentioned," he received from the Secretary, of S. deposite banks at Baltimore, in favour of the State, and payable to his order, for thre chundred and eighteen thousand six hundred and twestdollars and seventy-five cents, as the first insta'ment for fourth part of this state's ratable share of the surplus money in the U. S. Treasury of the 1st January, 1837-and he has this morning directed \$109,000 thereof to be paid to the Farnion Bank of Maryland, and \$54,612.75 in the Franklin B.nk of Biltimore, to be placed "to the credit of the State of Maryland, subject to the control of the General Assembly."

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Treas. W. S Md. Which was read and referred to the commit

e on ways and means. Mr. Richardson, reported a supplement to the net to authorise Wm Krebs, Richard and Wm. them. Linthicum, to build a bridge over Gwynn's Falls: which was twice read and passed.

Mr Buchanan reported a bill to secure to mechanies and labourer, a lien upon all property upon which they may erect house. &c. The house then adjourned.

> Wednesday, January 11. PETITIONS PRESENTED.

By Mr. Parran-from Sarah Ann Sears, o Calvert, to be divorced from her husband. Mr. Tuck—from sundry citizens of Prince Georges, that Benjamin Chaney, Jun. may be

placed on the pension list. Mr. Simmons submitted the following order:
Ordered, That the Speaker appoint a committee of five to examine into the condition of the State House and other public buildings in the city of Annapolis, and if it be found necessary for their preservation or greater convenience, to make any repairs or alterations, to report the

a e by bill or otherwise. Which was twice read and adopted. In pursuance whereof the Speaker appointed

Messrs Simmons, Alexander, Hicks, Harding, and Worthington, to compose the committee. On motion of Mr. Buchanan,

NO. 3.

The house took up for consideration the order submitted by him on the 9th instant, relative to the appointment of a committee of seven to inquire into the present police of the Maryland Penitentiary, the description of mechanical arts at this time carried on in the establish-

ment, &c.
Mr. Culbreth moved to amend s id order by dding at the end thereof the following:

Ordered further, That if said committee shall elieve that the plan of operations established for the support of said Penttentiary, conflicts with the rights and interests of the mechanics of this State, it shall be their duty to present to the consideration of this house such other plan as they may suppose more consistent with the general interests of the State; Which was read.

Mr Eccleston moved to lay the order and a. mendment on the table;

Resolved in the affirmative, year 39, nays 30.

The house resumed the consideration of the order of the day, being the bill, entitled, an act to confirm an act, entitled, an act for the division ecting 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 at December session 1835, chap-

Atter some time spent in debate. On motion of Mr. Worthington, The house adjourned.

Thursday, January 12. The Speaker announced the following mesosage having been received from the Senate on vesterday.

The bill for the relief of James Dovle, of Allegany, and the bill authorising the Commissioners of Washington county to levy a sum of mo-ney in advance to pay jurors and state witnesses-severally endorsed "will pass," retitions, &c.

By Mr. Perry-tour memorials of citizens of Allegany, to incorporate the Union Bank of Al-Mr. Mann-a petition from Ann Flinn, for a

divorce. Mr. Comegys-from sundry citizens of Cecil, to authorise the commissioners to levy money, to build a bridge and make a canal in said county.

Mr Hicks-from Cain and Job Harley, of Dorchester, to be released from payment of e.r. tain caution money. Mr. McLean-a memorial from the Citizens

Bank of Baltimore, to be released from a portion of the state's bonus. The bill to autorise the building a where on the south side of Wicomico river, near White Haven-and the supplement to the act authorising the building a bridge over Gwynn's Falls,

pass, order of the day, being the bill, entitled, an act to confirm an act, entitled, an act for the division of Baltimore and Frederick counties, and for erthe Treasury on the 6th inst , drafts of the Treas ecting a new one by the name of Carroll," and ourer of the Unit d States of the 4th on the U. to after and change the Constitution of this State, so far as may be necessary to effect the me, pessed at December session 1:35, chap. 256.

After some time spent in debate, Mr. Ely, roved that the House adjourn,

Resolved in the affirmative. The house then adjourned.

Friday, January 13. PETITIONS

By Mr. P rry-from Eliz beth Laffee, of Al-Mr. Well, an -a memorial from the Frank n Block, for an ext asion of time to discose of their increased stock.

Mr Gough -from Howes Goldsborough and James Williams, of H riord, that the provisions of the act of 1936, ch. 163, may be extended to

Mr Richardson-from the commissioners of the Real Latate bank of Baitimore, to go into operation with a capital of \$500,050. Mr. Ford-from sandry citizens of St. Ma-

ry's, praying an act to authorise the condemnation of a lot for a public landing.

BILLS REPORTED. By Mr. Iglehart-a supplement to the act to regulate the meeting of the orphans Court of A. A. county-read twice and passed.

Mr Richards n-a supplement to the act divorcing Elizabeth Gibson-twice read and The house then resumed the consideration of

the order of the day, being the bill reported by Mr. Brengle, entitled, an act to confirm an act, entitled an act for the division of Baltimore and Frederick counties, and for erecting a new one, by the name of "Carroli," and to alter and change the constitution of this State so for as may be necessary to effect the same, passed at Documber session, 1835, chapt 256.

Af er some time spent in debate, O : motion of Mr. Ford,

The house then adjourned.

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