acasion 1635, ch. 201, as relates to Somerset,

amble and order-

pecuniary loss, and the property of many of her to be styled the "judge of probate" for said re citizens has been greatly jeopardized by the spective districts; the said judge of probate to negligence and want of official duty of many of have and exercise all the powers, and to perform this State; and whereas, it is made incumbent on courts in the several counties of this State the Chancellor and the s veril Chief Judges of Said judges of probate to be appointed and com the different county courts to examine and as- missioned in the same manner, and to hold their certain whether the public records are faithful. offices by the like tenure as the judges of the ly kept-therefore,

Order d, That the Chanceller and the several Chief Judges of the different junicial districts, and the Chief Justices of the several Orphan's Courts of this State, report to this House whether they have examined into the manoer in which the public records are kept in the office of the Register in Chancery, and in the different clerks' and registers' offices of this State, and whether all papers placed in said offices for record, have been so recorded according to the for an inspector of whiskey. acts of assembly.

Ordered further, That the clerk of this House furnish a written copy of the above preamble and order to the Chamcellor and to the repeal of the laws establishing the Medical and different Chief Judges of this State, and the C Chief Justices of the orphars' courts of this

By Mr. Daws a-to authorise the laying out and pening a road in Montgomery and Fre-Mr. Worthington-to provide for building a

bridge at Tyson's Wills-which were severally twice read and presed.

Mr. Tack-to regulate the manner of taking testimony in cases in equity. Mr. Ghiselin-a further supplement to regu-

late the inspection of salted fish.

of clerks and registers. Mr. Buchanan-for the promotion of educa- crimes and punchments.

tion in Allegany. Mr. Bruce-to incorporate the vestry of the Latheran church in Camberland.

Mr. Don sho-to repeal an act to appoint state whorfingers in the city of Bultimore, &c.

The supplement to incorporate the Form

the amendments of Judicial proceedings -- were severally read the second time, meanined, and the proofs of clerks and registers -: no the bill

> Priday, February 2. PERIITONS PRESENTED.

By Mr. Ely-trosa the proprietors of the Warren l'actory and other taxable inhabitants Battimore county, relative to a road from the York road to the Warren village, &c.

Mr. Richardson-a memorial from numerou cirizens of the city of Baltimore, for the repeal of the monopoly act in favour of the Medical

Also, a memorial for the passage of an act to

Battle Creck Academy, in Calvert, for a donation.

Mr. Harrisor—from sundry citizens of Kent Acadee y for a donation.

Mr. Galbreth—from James Frezier, of Anna-Island, for the more effectual protection of over-

Mr. Richardson-from Nathaniel Burke, a sol a reffice revolution.

Mr. Richardson obtained leave to bring in a supplement to the act concerning crimes and punishments. Also, a bill to incorporate the Planters' and Farmers' Hotel Company.

Mr. Brengh -relating to the election distriets of Frederick county.

Mr. Risteau—a sapplement, providing for the appointment of time inspectors for the city of

Mr. Keene-to limit the sitting of the commissioners of the tax in Dorch ster.

The clark of the sea to returned the bill, to

authorise Thomas S. Carter and William F. Chilton, of Caroline county, to alter and change a road therein named, Also, a turther supplement to the set to in- of appeals.

orporate the Delaware and Maryland Rail Road Company, Also, the ball to allow Thomas Bruce, former

dren of Lilias M. Jones, late of Charles county, ed amendment." Which am indment was read.

Also, the bilt to incorporate the Friendship Beneficial Society of the city of Baltimore,

Also, the bill to incorporate the Calvert Beneficial society. Severally endorsed, well pass, with the pro-

first, and second time, assented to, and the balls

ordered to be engrossed; And delivered the toll-wing bills, originated in and passed by the Senaté, viz;

A bill to make valid a deed from William C.

Poole and Mary Mati da Poole, of Charles county, S. Carolina, to James Mansfield, Jr , of Kent

County, Maryland,
And a bill to make valid a deed from Benja. min Sanders and wife to William Lamb, of Kent

county,
Which were severally read

On motion of Mr. Donoho, Ordered, That the committee on education to be discharged from its further consideraanquire into the expediency of establishing an tion. as lum for the indigent deaf and dumb emidren of this State.

Mr. Dawson submitted the following order-

Mr. Buchanan submitted the following pre- and courts of justice inquire into the expedienwhereas, the State has suffered very heavy the former Registers of the Chancery Office of all the duties of the justices of the orphans several courts of law in this State.

> Which was read,-And, On motion of Mr. Elv. Ordered to lie on the table.

Saturday, Pebruary 4. By Mr. Carpenter-from John R. Sotheren,

minor, to make valid his contracts. Mr. Rentch-from citizens of Williamsport,

Mr. Shower-a memorial from citizens o Carroll for a donation to Clover Hill School. Mr. Mathias - from citizens of Carroll, for

hirurgical Faculty. Mr. Brengle-from Wm. C. Russell, crier of Fred rich county coart, for additional compen-

Also, from Mallon Talbet, to be refunded certain money,

Also, from critzens of Frederick, for a new election district. Mr. Tuck reported a bill, to determine

time from which acts of the General Asmbly shall have operation.

Mr Pearson-a supplement to regulate the espection of lumber in Port D. posit.

to the inspection of salted fish.

Mr. Kerr—relating to the proof of accounts Ely.

Mr. Primro e—a supplement concerning

Mr. Al-Nander-relating to mortgages.

Atension of the Bel-Air Market House, was

The supplement to incorrant the supplement to incorrant Pointers' Bank—the supplement to incorrant Pointers' Bank—and the bill to repeal of John Thompson—twice read and possed.

The firther supplement to the act to regulate the firther supplement to the little bill relating to the inspection of salted fish-the bill relating to so regulate the menner of taking testimory in

cases in equity-were severally read the second time and passed. The bill to incorporate the town of Clear Spring, was twice read and passed,

> Monday, Pebruary C. retitions, &c.

Mr. Brengle-presented the application of the clerk of Frederick, to be compensated for making certain reports.

Joseph memoral from Mrs. Eliza Nelson

whow of Roger Nelson, for the benefit of the adiate corporations.

Mr. Laveille—a petition from the trustees of the officers of the Maryland line, and their

Mr. Shower-a petition of the Manchester

alis, to be paid the amount of pension due his uncle. Sanuel Frazier. Mr. McLeen-from Sarah Richards, of Pal-

timore, to be divorced. Mr. McDaniel--from Elaza Ann Boyd, of ties could not in reason grant less than the bill Kent, for a divorce. Also, from Riner Cook, to be authorised to

stitution paid any regard to population or terri-Mr. Kerr-from Philemon Willis, of Tallast, tory. They were wise men and did not choose remain in the State.

Harford, to be released from a certain recogni- had no quarrel, and this being the case, the con-

Mr. Townsend of Talbot-from Jam's Hartisen, that money erroneously paid by him into The state was composed of a number of counties treasury, may be refunded. The state was composed of a number of counties, and one city. The latter had been incor-

ces and courts of justice, delivered the following ling two burgesses to the provincial assembly.

to complete his collections.

Also, the lift to envorce Ehzebeth Longard. In an act to secure to mechanics and labourers a proved, history informs us.

Originally towns had ono legal name, no particular to the lift to account to mechanics and labourers a proved, history informs us.

Originally towns had ono legal name, no particular to the lift to the lift of the Feverally endorsed, "will pass," and ordered upon all such houses, mills, borns, and other give them any authority therein." In time com-

deceased, endorsed, wall pass, with the propositive provisions of this bill, and reflected upon the corporated, and each incorporated town became principle which it seeks to establish, and after a distinct community-imporium in imporio,he most mature consideration they have deter- and as a distinct community, with its franchises mined to report unfavourably thereon; the com- and subject to its own by-laws, was supposed to mittee cannot perceive the justice of drawing be entitled to a distinct representation. what may be considered an unjust distinction interests of cities were supposed too to be disbetween different classes of labourers; no pre- timet from those of the county. The represen terence is now given to any over another, ex- tauves of the latter were chosen by agricultu posed amendments,"

Copt upon the principles of the common Law, ralists, and those who represented cities were Which amendments were severally read the and upon which no legislation is deemed neopt upon the principles of the common L.w., ralists, and those who represented cities were cessary--It any hen should be created as manufactures-of trades and tradesmen. Such proposed by the bill, in the case mentioned year were the antique notions, and to such notions committee c nnot discover any reason 1 r. Annapolis was indebted for its original charter, rejecting the numerous applications that may be and its privilege of sending two delegates to the rade to the house from other tradesmen and las provincial assembly; and a convention, not given sources, for similar privileges-such laws can to change, did not choose to disturb the old or not be reduced to any system, or establish any der of things. The only innovation which was principle, which in its application would be made, and this was evidently made with reduc-

general. Such discriminating legislation, your committee think exceedingly injudicious, and should not be sanctioned by this house-they the refore commend the rejection of the bill, and pray

The Clerk of the Senate returned the bill, to make valid a certain instrument of writing there. tradesmen.

in named, and for other purposes; endorsed will pass,' ordered to be engrossed,

above Watkins Point, and of so much of Tangier gislature. Frederick is a city, but it still re-Sound, &c.

Also, the resolution in favour of Nathan Risented to,' ordered to be engrossed, Also, the resolution granting the use of the munity in the election of delegates to the General

Library to certain persons therein named, endorsed assented to with the proposed amend-

Mr. Brengle reported a bill to incorporate the ntizens of Taney Town. Mr. McLean-for the relief of Kendall S.

Cropper, of Philadelphia.

BBaryland Wazette.

ATTAPOLIS: Thursday, February 9, 1837.

male Orphan Society of the city of Annapolis, will be held at the Assembly Room of said city by a distinct represent tion, unless it be a city on THIS DAY, the 5th of February, commencing at 12 o'clock. A variety of articles will which in order to be attended to requires a disbe exhibited for sale. Industry and skill, taste tinet representation to protect them. The priand fancy are combining their powers to pro- vilege, as it is called, often proves a curse to duce a variety which may be pleasing and at tractive to the spectators. Many a benevolent heart is devising, and many a kind hand employed in executing something to aid the Fair: and the Managers give this early notice, that others, who perhaps have not yet thought of it, with to live and acquire consequence by the may understand that now is the time to arise for our help. Our hopes are bright, our expectations singuine, that the result will prove as gratifying as that which has followed similar ofexhibition as pleasing to the eye as possible; but it is to the heart that we make our appeal. and we trust that those who visit it, will look templated change for evil or for good, he must beyond that which meets the outward vision, to the object for which it is set forth-an object that change (it may or in y not be reform) is now and Farmers' Hoa i Company,

The bill to condemn a lot of ground for the phas! If rank and wealth and honour surround counties, small and large—that the former class like's childhood, each and all of them can offer constituted the majority, and that the political no equivalent for the tensor smale, the fond en dearment, the watening, ceaseless care of pa-wi hout mainishing the influence of all (called) Westminster and Reisterstown turnpike, thence rental love; and when all these are wanting, the small counties. But the projet of the Se, with a straight course to the Pennsylvania line, and indeed is the situation of the helpiess out. cast! It is for such we plead, for such we can, lets us into a very different secret. It divides Pennsylvania line to the place of beginning, cit your compassion. Finends and bottons of the state into three classes, the large, the larger, cit your compassion. Friends and patrons, ci. the state into three classes, the large, the larger, tizens and strangers, we feel assured that you and the small counties, and while it contemwill give to the relief of the orpman. Yes, you plates to increase the influence of the largest. About three-fifths of the population is taken

For the Maryland Gasette.

Every body professes to be willing to make Every body professes to no wining to make some change in the Constitution of Maryland, and especially in that part of it which regards the efection of the House of Delegates. One elected by the twenty countries, and the city of the cleeted by the twenty countries, and the city of thing must be admitted—the number of deletes claimed for the larger counties, and with ess than the smaller counties apprehended would be claimed by them. It must also be admitted that it any change is to take place-if in fixing the number of delegates to be chosen by each county the population of the counties is at all to be regarded, then the smaller counof the Senate proposes

It is a mistake that the framers of the conto be referred a certain sum of money.

Mr. Manisby--trom Carvil H. Prigg, of House of Burgesses and its damps, the people vention did not choose to adopt any new theories in regard to that branch of the legislature. Form of Government of the State of Mary- ry short space of twenty-four hours! Mr. McLean-from Margaret Moore, and porated by Qu en Anne, under an impression, others, for the rehearing of a case in the court no deeds, that at no distant day it would become of appeals. Mr. Maulsby, from the committee on grievan- ration, and the privilege granted to it of send-Also, the bill to allow Thomas Bruce, former report,
sheriff of Prince George's county, farther time. The committee on grievances and courts of ginally the condition of their inhabitants-Why towns were incorporated—what was orn

ouses, barns, and other tenements; also litical existence which could entitle them to be Also, the bill fer the benefit of the infant chiliollowing report;

The committee have very carefully examined a change of their condition, and towns were intance, consisted in giving to Baltimore form two delegat s. Yet if the city and town had been both of them either cities or towns, and it h d been made the duty of the convention to give delegation to one and only to one of them, no one can doubt which would have been preferred s the pl co to elect those who were to take in h rge the interests of manufactures, trade and

However wise may have been this policy ori- striking out "four," and inserting in lieu there. ginally, yet it does not seem to have been of "six." Also, the preamble and resolutions relative to thought necessary in more modern days, to give the survey of the navigable rivers immediately to all cities, as cities, a distinct voice in the le-asked leave to sit again. mains a part of the county in state elections; and perhaps its people us well as the people of all lev. of Ailegany county, severally endorsed east other cities of not greater rize, or more trade, would not be promoted by making it a distinct com-

Assembly, or of Senators. Baltimore, besides being a city, is very populous, has much trade, and it is inhabited principally by those classes of people, manufacturers, merchants, tradesmen, &c. whose interests are especially confided to city delegates. Hence, and especially as we have but one great commercial city, it seems to be wise to give to it an increased delegation. It is quite as wise to a-bolish entirely the old distinction between towns and cities; and until population, trade, &c. would seem to require it to be otherwise, leave all of them as parts of the counties to which for many The Annual Pair for the benefit of the Fe-ale Orden Society of the city of Annualds, stead of being benefited, is essentially injured or town which has those distinct interests these cities and towns upon which it is bestow-"Old Sarum" has never been benefited by privilege of electing a member of Parliament, in the destruction of "the rotten borough

tem" every where, every man who does not

and purchase of votes, is deeply interested. Whether there he for the contemplated change in Maryland the great necessity which appear to think, may well admit of doubt. Every exertion will be made to have the Evils, and great evils not foreseen, may be the result of innovations, calculated it is supposed to produce nothing but good Be however the conbe a dull man indeed who does not perceive Maryland w s divided into only two classes of Buffalo road to Parr's Spring, thence with the will, for you have not forgotten that it is written, so Father of the fatherless is Coel, in his tholy habitation," and verily may you believe that sinasmuch as you have done it to one of the least of these, you have done it unto him."

does not dismiss, indeed it increases that of the hirge country. The small counties then are in the hirge country. This the people cannot fail to discover, and he reafter there can be no doubt that a majority of the counties will be favourable to the reafter. ble to this reform. Some of the delegates may think otherwise, but they will be mistaken.

Since theil change is necessary, why not adont the Senate's bul as the Senate's committee which it is believed they would be satisfied, is into the amended system any provision which mevitably will produce dissatisfaction and clamour? If it be that "the rotten borough" system can no longer be endured by the people, why not give it up, and not gradgingly? Why keep alive state of feeling which must inevitably lead to further changes, and some of them essentially injurious to the really small counties? A CITIZEN.

REFORM.

'Proceedings had in the Committee of the whole house, on the bill reported by Mr. Ford, Chairman of the Committee on the Constitution, entitled, "An act to amend the Constitution and

Monday, February 6, 1837.

Mr. Ford moved to amend said bill, by filling the blank in the first section with othe first some facts relative to the poisoning of twelve

Wednesday in October. Wednesday in August."

ond Wednesday in November." ond Wednesday in October."

Monday in July." The question was first put upon the motion examined as yet; but is supposed by the physi-

ber." and Determined in the negative. The question was then put on the motion of Mr. Brengle to fill the blank with "second Wedesday in October," and

Determined in the negative. The question was then put on the motion of the wife of Mr. Conrad Carpenter, a respectaçum. Hicks to fill the blank with efirst Wednes. day in October," and

Resolved in the affirmative. Mr. Eccleston moved further to amend said

and inserting in lieu thereof the following: Two delegates from the city of Baltimore additional delegate for every fifteen thousand population in any county of this state and to city of Baltimore; provided that no county shall have more than four delegates, and the city of Baltimore not more delegates than the most populous county in the state, until after the census of 1840;

Which was read. Mr. Ely moved to amend said amendment, by phia Ledger.

Pending this motion, the committee rose and

Tuesday, February 7.

The house resumed the consideration of said The question before the house being upon the mendment as offered by Mr. Eccleston, to trike out and insert, and the amendment to the mendment as proposed by Mr. Ely, to strike out "four," and insert "six,"

The question was then put on the amend. ent to the amendment, and

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Ely then moved to amend the amend. ent by striking out the proviso thereof; Determined in the negative. Mr. Culbreth then moved to amend said a.

endment, by inserting after the word estate." in the third line thereof, these words, "and one delegate from the city of Annapolis.'

Pending this motion, the committe rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

CARROLL COUNTY.

The citizens of Westminster, as soon as the intelligence was received by them of the lassage of the bill to creet Carroll county, determined upon a public celebration of the egloririous and triumphant event" by a procession and an illumination of the town. Carroll county is one of the prettiest counties in the State, and will soon, we have no doubt, be one of the most populous and wealthy. We take the following notice of it from the Westminster Carrolltoni. an.

CARROLL COUNTY, created out of parts of Frederick and Baltimore counties, is comprised within the following boundaries, viz .- begin. ning at the Pennsylvania line where Rock creek ore sees said line, thence with said stream to the Monocacy, down the Monocacy to Double Pipe Creek, up said stream to Little Pipe Creek, thence with the said stream to Sam's Creek, up Sam's Creek to Warfield's mill, thence with the

22,000, and the number of voters about 2700. from Frederick, and two-fifths from Baltimore county.

In reference to the amount of white population it is the fourth county in Maryland, There are about 60 Flouring mills, a large

number of Saw mills, several Woollen Factor ries, Oil and Paper milis-and a considerable a. nount of water power unoccupied. The towns and villages are as follows,-Westminster, (the seat of justice,) Manchester, Taneytown. Uniontown, Hampstead, New Windsor, Middleburg, Freedom, Finksburg, U

nion Bridge, Frizzlesburg, Mount Vernon, together with several lesser villages. The number of Election Districts will be 9. Commissioners will be appointed shortly to lay

them off. Judges Dorsey, Kilgour, and Wilkinson, of the Montgomery, Calvert, and Anne-Arundel county courts, will sit upon the bench of Carroll county. The time of holding the Courts will be designated by law. The County Clerk, it is supposed, will be appointed by the judges

on the first day of the court.

The Register of Wills will be chosen in a weck or two by the legislature.

GREAT DESPATCH.

The Pioneer, which conveys Santa Anna to Mexico, was gotten ready, and at sea in the ve-

SINGULAR CASE OF POISON.

A friend of ours who was called in on the occasion, has been kind enough to communicate persons. It seems that some relative of her's Mr. Hicks moved to fill the blank with first in New York, sent a plumb cake to a free negro Mr. Tuck moved to fal the blank with first is said to be almost illegible, by the packer Leonline. The woman gave several of her friends Mr. Ridgely maved to fill the blank with "se-portions of the cake, and all who ate of it soon became very ill-these were eleven negroes and Mr. Brengle moved to fill the blank with "se one white woman. One negro man died yes terday morning at five o'clock, having parteck Mr. Harris moved to fill the blank with "last of it the night before. The others are all in a fair way to recover. The cake has not been of Mr. Ridgely, being the latest day, to fill cian, from the representations of the poisoned, the blank with esecond Wednesday in Novembro to contain verdigris. Some was given to a dog and a cat, which caused immediate and violent

SINGULAR INSTANCE OF SUDDEN

DEATH.

On the day of the last Presidential election, the wife of Mr. Conrad Carpenter, a respecta-Garden, gave birth to two sons. The infants were named Andrew Jackson and Martin Van Buren, and grew in health and loveliness, tho bill, by striking out from the word "ot," in the pride and joy of their parents, and the admira-lst section, 4th line, to the end of said section, tion of the whole neighbourhood. Last Saturday morning they appeared to be as usual in a state of perfect health, and between 8 and 9 and the several counties of this state, and en o'clock the mother was nursing the one named after the venerable chief magistrate, when, without apparent cause, his head fell back, and without a struggle or a groan the little innocent expired. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, the sorrow stricken mother was nursing her remaining babe, when like his brother, ne too expired, while apparently drawing sustenance from the maternal bosom.-Philadel.

CONNUBI A correspondent gives the following during the trial of

fire to the Treasury "In the course of and celebrated thief and scenes of ingen closed which have i proaching to admira al woman examine that she overheard that he had succee Treasury. "Where the counsel for the moment, a hand hiteness, was pass then in a low voice State's Prison in ? you not in the State went to see my hush confined there for a "Were you never ch

The Court suggeshe was not compell the paused as if to: then lifting her hea highted up with more and energy, she an sir. I was charged w hand instruments to prison, and (raising the same time) dis-tamous offence, I do and universal burst part of the Court ro play of connubial de ould not be repre-PRESE

OBI Mrs. NANCY JACO

zekiel Jacob, departe in this city, in the 8 was one amongst the Methodist Episcopal remained a faithful inestimable privilege powers enabled her gradually failing for length a striking ins thread of life may b Lie, affectionate, enc was always beloved,

- At his resid long illness, Capt. J

PUBL BY virtue of an or of Anne Arund will expose at PUB the 18th day of Fel. A. M. all the Perso Barber, deceased, c Household and

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