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del county, stating that he is now in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled. An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at December session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein mentioned, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, so far as he can ascertain the same, being annexed to his said petition, and the said petent testimony that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, and the passed in 1798, chapter 165, wherein certain by the said act prescribed for the delivering up s property, and given sufficient security for his personal appearance at the county court of Anne Arundel county, to answer such interogatories and allegations as may to made a. Ann Roberts. gainst him, and having appointed Beale. Also, a memorial of John McMillan, of the Gaither his trustee, who has given bond as cit. of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from such, and received from said Peter McRo his wife, Mary Ann McMillan. berts a conveyance and possession of all his Mr. Nelson, a petition of Ann Dotten, of Har-property real, personal and mixed—I do here-ford eventy, praying to be placed on the penriler and adjudge, that the said Peter Mc-Roberts be discharged from imprisonment, and that he give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted n some newspaper published in Anne-Arun tive nonths, before the third Monday in April t the court house of said county, at ten o' clock in the forenoon of that day, for the pur- not be repealed. pose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Peter McRoberts shoul not have the benefit of the said act, and supplements, as prayed. Given under my hand this twenty seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred NICH'S. BREWER, Chief Judge of the Orphaus Court, Anne-A-

Test, WM. S. GREEN, Clk.
A. A. County Court.
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Anne-Arundel County, Set.

ON application to the Judges of Anne-A-rundel County Court, by petition, in writing, of William Murdock, of Anne Awriting, of William status, that I c is now in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled, An act for the relief of sunry insolvent debtors, passed at December ession 1805, and the several supplements schedule of his property and a list of his cre ditors, on oath, so far as he can ascertain the same, being annexed to his petition, and the said William Murdock having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland immedi-ately preceding the time of his application, and the said William Murdock having tak en the oath by the said act prescribes for the delivering up his property, and given suffi-can't security to his personal appearance at the county court of Anne Arundel county, to answer such interiogatories and allegations as nay be made against him, and having appoint given bond as such, and received from the said William \u03bb urdock a conveyance and pos s saint of all his property, real, personal and mixed, it is therefore hereby ordered and adjudged, that the said William Murdock be discharged from imprisonment, and that be give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspa a week for three consecutive months before the third Monday of April next, to appear before the said county court at the court nouse of said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, f any they have, why the said William Murdock should not have the benefit of the said act and supplements, as prayed Given un-der my hand this 24th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundree and thirty-seven. Edrard Summerkamp, Whi. Shallus, Ms. Harriet Teresa Smith,

Test, WM. S. GREEN, Clk. January 4.

Maryland, Anne-Armedel County, Sc. H. REBY CERTIFY, that Richard Nicholson has this day brought before me as Strays two HORSES, one a black about ten years old with a short nicked tail, has a write spor on his back, very gay, paces, trots and canters, has only one old shoe on; the other is a bay say years old, long tail, trots and canters, a little white on both hind feet, and no snoes on. Given under my and and seat this 16th December 1837.

BASLOWINGS, one of the Justices of the Pear for the Pitth Election District for the County aforesaid. Maryigud, Anne-Arundel County, Sc.

The awner of the above property is requested to come forward, prove brioperty, pay coarges, and take them way.

RICHA:D NICHOLYON,
Bond's favera 5th Election District, A. A.

Dec. 21,

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS Of the House of Delegates of the State of Maryland, DECEMBER SESSION, 1937.

WEDNESDAY, January 17th. Mr. Duke presented a petition of sundry citizens of Calvert county, praying that the law in relation to the inspectors of tobacco may not be

Mr. Iglehart, a peti jon of sundry citizens of Anne Arundel county, proying that the law of D cember session, 1836, as relates to Tobacco Inspectors, may not be repealed.

Mr Witmore, a petiti n of sundry citizens of Washington county, proving to repeal an act id Peter McRoberts having taken the oath medical gentlemen therein nomed are invested with certain exclusive privileges of practising

Mr Gallagher, a memorial of Samuel Roberts praying to be divorced from his wife Mary

Mr. Nelson, a petition of Ann Dotten, of Harsion roll of said county. Mr. Reberts, a petition of Robert B. A. Tate,

praying compensation for extra services, as clerk to the levy court of Queen Anne's county. Mr Brown, a petition of sundry citizens of

the fifth election district, in Anne Arundel county, praying that the law of Decem er session 1836, as relates to tobacco inspectors, may On motion of Mr. Duke,

Ordered, That the committee on the inspection of tobacco enquire into the expediency of changing the manner of paying the inspectors of tobacco of this State, so as to allow them so much per hogshead, instead of a certain salary. and report by bill or otherwise, also whether there is not a portion of the warehouses in the city of Batimore, that might be rented out withou injury to the interests of the tobacco sections of the country. Mr. Blocher submitted the following preamble

and resolution: Whereas, the Tressurer of the Westers Shore of Maryland is about being instructed to pay the interest accruing on the bonds of this State, in gold and silver, a large preportion of which ap-

pears to be due to foreigners; -Therefore, Resolved by the General Assembly of Mary. land, That the said Treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland, be, and he is hereby directed to provide god and silver to pay the per diem of the members of this General Assembly

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. Mr Berret reported a bill, entitled, an act to provide for electing commissioners for Carroll county, and prescribing their powers and duties,

Mr. Powder reported a bul, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act, for the establishment of the orphans court of Carroll county.

Which were severally read the first, and by special order the second time, passed, and sent

to the senate. Mr. Geyer reported a bill, entitled, an act to u horise Nathan Nelson, trustee of Michael Mealy, to convey by deed to James Smith, certain real estate therein mentioned.

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

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day, the house proceeded to consider the bili reported by Mr. Bowie, entitled, an act, supprementary to an act, intitled, an act, to li unt the time for which tobacco inspectors shall continue to hold their offices, passed at Decem-

Mr. White from the minority of the committee delivered the following report, which he of-fered as a substitute for said bill,

The undersigned, a minority of the Select Committee, to whom were referred memorials rom sundry citizens of Prince George's, Anne Arundel and Baltimore, praying the repeal of an act passed at the last session of the General As-sembly, to limit the tenure by which Tobacco Inspectors in the city of Baltimore hold their offices, beg leave respectfully to REPORT:

That they have carefully considered the pray er of the memorialists, and have come to the conclusion that it is unreasonable and ought not to be granted. The undersigned feel confident that the policy of this act is in strict conformity with the spirit of those provisions of the Consti-tution, which require rotation in office; and while tree to condenm the removal from office, of fithful and well-tried public servants, tor slight and frivolous causes, they regard a proper system of changes in office, as the best guaranty for official fidelity on the one hand, and the pubhe good upon the other. Such a system looks to fair participation by the people in the benefits of Government, and by laying restraints upon patronage, places the rewards of office in a pro-

per relation to public merit.
Offices, the undersigned believe, are created by law for the convenience of the people, and are to be regarded as public property in which no one has vested rights beyond the time of his appointment: when therefore the Legislature at-

tempts in the performance of a sheer duty to ! make such changes in their tenure as are neces-sary to insure the greatest amount of public usefulness, she commits no violence upon private rights.

The undersigned do not apprehend any dan ger to the Tobacco interest from the occasional changes of Inspectors proposed by this law: for it is but fair to suppose that the risk of bad apcointments will be fully obviated by a proper vi

gilance in the appointing power.
In regard to the right of the General Assemby under the Constitution, to prescribe by 1 w the tenure of office of Tobacco Inspectors, the und reigned, upon much reflection, with a sin-cere desire to be correct, can find no just ground for doubt. The whole system of protection to this branch of the industry of our people, owes signed therefore respectfully submit whether it bolish, but also to adopt such modifications as 25th inst.; may be found important to its efficiency, with-

The attitude in which a repeal of the act the 1st of February next. would place the present to the last General Asembly, involves, as the undersigned conceive, a want of proper respect, and should not be taken without good and sufficient cause. It is but justice to the late session of the General Assembly to presume that her proceeding on this subject w is dictated by a sense of duty, and it is only reasonable that her action should be subjecte to a fair trial. In the absence of such trial, by which alone, we could judge correctly of its merets, we should be wrong to anticipate its failure, and prevent its being carried into effect.

Such a course of legis ation, the undersigned hold to be both inconsistent and unjust, and therefore beg icave to dissent from the recom mendation of your committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

S. N. C. WHITE, in benalf of the Minority.

Which was read. On motion of Mr Ghiselin, said bill and substitue were laid on the table, and made the order of the day for Wednesday, the 31st in-

The house then adjourned.

THURSDAY, January 18 h. Mr. Parran presented a petition of sundry citizens of Calvert county praying an alteration n the donation to Lower Marlboro' academy. Mr. Evans, a petition of sundry citizens Cecil county, praying that an act may pass authorising the commissioners to levy a sum of

noney, to build a bridge in said county. Mr. Gallagher, a memorial of Emilie W. No-ble, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be diroiced from her husband, Nathaniel G. Noble.

Mr. Carier, a petition of William W. Medtord, praying that a law may pass, authorising him to bring into this State, from the State of Delaware, his negro girl l'amor, for a term of

Also, a petition of Henry Black, a free negro,

praying the passage of an act, authorising him to bring into this State his wife Eliza. And, Mr. Risteau, a memorial of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, praying the licensing

of auctioneers for said county. The clerk of the senate returned an addition al supplemen to the act, to incorporate the Bal-

timore and Port Deposite Rail Road Company. Also, the sill, to lay out and open a new road in Frederick and Carroll counties; severally endorsed, "will pass," and severally ordered to be

And, delivered a bill originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, an act for the benefit of the children of John Murray, late of Baltimore county, deceased. Also, a petition of sundry citizens of the town

eland, counter to the petition, praying the repeal of the act of assembly, incorporating said town, endorsed, "referred to the considera-tion of the house of delegates,"

Mr. Roberts obtained leave to bring in a bill, for the encouragement of agriculture. On motion of Mr. Kent,

Ordered, That the committee on the coloured population enquire into the expediency of compeiling all free people of colour, to hire themselves by the year, and report by bill or other-

On motion of Mr. Hearn. Ordered. That the committee on the coloured opulation be instructed to enquire into the expediency of abolishing the colonization tax on the several counties and cities of this state, and report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. White, chairman of the committee on agriculture, delivered the following report:

The committee on agriculture, to whom was referred an order of the house, directing them to nquire into the expediency of providing for the stablishment of Agricultural Schoos in the sever-I counties in this State, beg leave to report:

That they have bestowed upon the subject of said order, the most careful consideration; and have come to the conclusion that it is inexpedent at this time to pledge the funds of the State in aid of that object; the committee therefore beg to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

All which is respectfully submitted, STEPHEN N. C. WHITE, Chairman. State should know to whom paid, and on what

Which was read the first, and by special or-

der the second time and concurred in Mr Risteau, chairman of the committee on divorces, made an unfavourable report upon the petition of Jess: Updegrove, praying to be di-vorced from his wife Lavey Updegrove

Which was read the arst, and by special order the second time, and concurred an.

Mr. Ris cau, chairman of the committee of divorces, reported a bill, entitled, an act to divorce James Lynch, of Cecil county, from his

wite Mary Ann Lynch, Which was read the first and by special order

the second time and pass d. The house then resumed the consideration of the hill, entitled, an net to confirm an act, entitled, an act to amend the constitution and form of government of the State of Maryland, passed at I) cember session, 1836, chapter 197.

Mr. White moved to postpone said bill and s not competent for the body, not on y to a make it the order of the day for Thursday next,

Mr. Goldsborough moved as a substitute for said motion, to make it the order of the day for On the question being put, will the house and dopt one substitute, and make said bill the order

of the day for the 1st of February next. It was resolved in the affirmative. On motion of Mr. Comegys, the yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows: Messrs. Tuck, Speaker. Hopewell, M cDaniel,

Welch, Gale, Simmons, Duke, Beal's, Carpin-ter, Kerr, Denny, Boyle, of Tal. Juenp, of Tal. Adams, Lemmon. Frazier, Goldst.or. ugh, Tall. Parker, Simpers, Ghiselin. Coovabs, Swanti, Alexander, Townsend, Hearn, Powell, Carter, Boon, Tura, of Caro. Hillen--31. NEGATIVE. Messrs. Brown, Higgins, Parran, Kent, Ris-

teau, Ely, Jones, Eccleston, Comegys, Evans, Roberts, Geyer, Ent, Cramer, Williams, Forword, Neison, Gallagher, Swingley, Wilmer, Beam, Griffith, White, Dawson, Blocher, Buyie, of Car. Berrett, Powder-28.

So the bill was made the order of the day for the 1st of February next-The bill reported by Mr. Tall, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act to prohibe the owners of vessels, and others from navigating he same, by and under the sale command of n. grass or mulattoes, passed at Documber see.

non 1836, chapter 150, Was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed. The house adjourned until to-morrow morn-

ing ten o'clock. FRIDAY, January 19:h. The speaker laid before the house the foll w-

unication:

To the Honourable the House of Delegates, The undersigned, two of the commissioners appointed under the act for the premotion of internal improvement, to negotiate the loan of eight millions of dollars authorised by that act,

that having in confirmity with an assurance Executive a detailed report of their proceedings under the trust reposed in them, and of the reasons governing them in the execution of that trus, which they suppose will be submitted to the to reter, they presume that the object of the or-der of the 29th ult. requiring a report to be nade to your body, will thereby be gratified, and trust that a further report which could only be a copy of that made to the Executive, will equired or deemed necessary. Which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN BUCHANAN, THO. EMORY.

Which was read. Mr. Berrett presented a petition of the pre-

sident and secretary of Springfield Academy, in Carroll county, praying a donation from the State to said academy. Mr. Witmer, a petition or 1 05-95's Beterbenner, of Washington county, praying for an act allowing her to receive the interest on a certain fund therein mentioned, instead of her

husband: And, Mr Roberts, a peltion of Thomas H. Ford, sheriff of Queen-Anne's county, praying the passage of an act for the relief of sheriffs, in the sate keeping of n. gro and mulatto slaves

ommitted to jail. Ar S and Marsh, Mr. Hopewell, a petiti, be F Jonathan Marsh, of St. Mary's county, F lying to be divorced from his wife, Hannah Marsh.

Mr. Gallagher, a memorial of Susan Lupton. of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband, Cyrus C. Lupton. Mr. Hopewell, a petition of sundry citizens of St. Mary's county, praying an additional sup-

plement to an act to prevent the destruction of oysters, passed at December session 1935, chapter 260.

On motion of Mr. Blocher, Ordered,

Where s it appears from the last annual report of the Treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland, that \$4,338 13 were paid out as "Contingent Expenses," and 820,039 17 as "Miscellaneous Expenses" during the year ending on the 25th D. cember, 1637; and whereas,