THE SENTINEL.

LEGISLATURE OF MARYLAND.
Special Session.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

FREDERICK, April 30.

A message was received from the Executive stating that he had transmitted to the Adjutant-General at Annapolis a copy of the order requesting certain information in regard to the expenditure of the appropriation of $70,000 for the purchase of arms, with directions to furnish him immediately with the information desired by the House, which he will transmit as soon as received.

Mr. Stake offered the petition of 600 voters of Washington county that the banks may be authorized to issue small notes. Referred.

Mr. Goody obtained leave for the committee on the judiciary to report a bill to exempt from execution a certain amount of the property of a debtor.

The preamble and resolutions offered by Mr. Pitts, ratifying the action of the authorities of Baltimore city on Friday, the 19th of April, &c., were referred to the committee on the judiciary, with leave to report by bill or otherwise.

The committee on the currency reported the following as a substitute for the Senate bill:

Be it enacted, &c., That no bank shall issue or pay out notes or certificates of deposit of less denomination than one dollar to an amount greater than 10 per cent. of their capital, actually paid in, provided that any bank may issue such notes to the amount of $5,000, the issue not to continue beyond the sixty days after the session of 1864, the provisions of the act to extend only to such banks and institutions as now possess the right of issue.

After some discussion the bill was finally passed.

Mr. Harrison reported a bill to repeal sections first, second and third of the 4th, 5th, 6th, 8th, and 9th of article 12th of the code, and enacting that no corporation of this State authorized to issue notes for circulation shall be subject to any forfeiture or penalty for not redeeming such notes in specie before the 11th of March, 1864.

Mr. Chaplain moved to amend by limiting the time to 1862, which was adopted.

Mr. Ford moved to amend by suspending the operations of the sections above named instead of repealing them; which was adopted and the bill was passed.

The committee on currency reported unfavorably on the bill to authorize the corporation of Baltimore to issue one dollar notes, to be used as a currency. The bill was referred to the Baltimore city delegation.

Mr. Compton offered an order that the Adjutant General be requested to report to this House, at the earliest moment possible, the names, number and rank of all officers holding military commissions in this State, to what companies and regiments they are attached, and the date of their commission. Also the number of regiments in the State, and the districts in which they are located. Adopted.

Mr. Dennis, of Somerset, offered the following resolutions:

Whereas in the present disturbed condition of the country, it is right and proper that the position of this State should be defined; and whereas it is also right and proper that the people shall have an opportunity to exercise their right to determine what measures shall be adopted to restore its peace and prosperity, therefore be it

Resolved, That a law shall be passed by the Legislature authorizing the people to assemble in convention, to be elected as members of the House of Delegates are elected, on a day to be fixed in said law, to consider and determine the political condition of the State, and what her duty and interests require shall be done in the present exigency.

Resolved, That such law shall require the decision of such convention to be submitted to the legal voters of the State for their approval or rejection, and that the same shall have no legal obligation whatever unless the same shall be approved by a majority of such voters. [illegible] the existing political relations of the State, as regulated by its own government and by the constitution of the United States, shall remain as they now are.

Resolved, That earnestly deprecating civil war, and though almost despairing, yet still hoping that the unhappy differences now alienating one section of the country from the other may yet be adjusted upon terms satisfactory to both, we would earnestly entreat for a cessation of all hostilities, whether by the States or by the federal government, at least until after the meeting of Congress, convened by proclamation of the President on the 4th of July.

The resolutions were referred to the committee on federal relations.

The House adjourned till to-morrow.

SENATE.

The Senate met and adjourned till 5 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.—The Senate met at five o'clock when a message was received from the Governor enclosing the following communication, and stating that he has written to the chairman of the meeting referred to, disclaiming all knowledge of the matter, or having had any communications whatever with said troops, and requesting the Senate to take such action in the premises as they may deem necessary:

WEVERTON, Frederick co., Md.,
April 29th, 1861.

To his Excellency Governor Hicks:—At a meeting held in Weverton by the citizens of Washington and Frederick counties, the following memorial was agreed to, and ordered to be presented to your Excellency by Messrs. Miller, Spencer, Vietz, Hough and Wood, a committee appointed for that purpose:

Whereas since the occupation of Harper's Ferry by the troops of Virginia a number of soldiers have at different times crossed over to our State, and under pretense of obtaining arms, have disturbed the peace of the neighborhood and outraged the feelings of our citizens by searching private dwellings; and

Whereas the citizens of Sandy Hook, Weverton and vicinity, protesting against the right of troops from Virginia invading our soil for such unfriendly purposes, do hereby beseech your Excellency to adopt such measures as in your good judgment will be sufficient to prevent any repetition of similar outrages.

We furthermore would especially state that the troops making the search informed us that they had obtained permission from your Excellency to search private dwellings, as above stated, to the extent of twenty miles in the territory of this State. We mention this in order to get a refutation of such a slanderous report, as we believe it to be wholly without foundation. HENRY MERRIKEN, Chairman.

ALFRED SPENCER, Secretary.

The message was referred to the committee on militia, and the Senate went into executive session, and soon after adjourned.

FREDERICK, May 1.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

The Speaker presented a petition from sundry citizens of Washington county, not to pass an ordinance of secession, or to take any action that will lead to it, and stating their belief that no State has a constitutional right to secede, &c., and declaring their intentions never to submit to secession peaceably, and to resist it to the last. It was referred to the committee on federal relations.

The Speaker also presented a lengthy printed communication from a States rights meeting held in Harrison county, containing resolutions affirming Southern States rights sentiments, etc. Referred to the committee on federal relations.

Mr. Gordon, chairman of the judiciary committee, reported a bill repealing the 10th section of the 29th article, and the proviso to the 33d section of the 5th article of the Code of Public General Laws, so far as they conflict with the provisions of this act, and enacting that upon all payments or decrees for the payment of money which have been or may hereafter be rendered by any court or justice of the peace of this State, there shall be a stay of execution till the close of the regular session of the General Assembly of this State which shall be held next hereafter—the bill to take effect from its passage, and to remain in force until the close of the regular session of the General Assembly of this State, which shall be held next hereafter, and no longer.

The Speaker presented a communication from the mayor of Baltimore, enclosing the resolutions adopted by the mayor and city council, asking prompt and efficient action on the part of the Legislature to accomplish the very important object contemplated by the resolutions. The mayor says the entire trade and industrial pursuits of the city are suffering to a very great extent, and the whole community stand in need of speedy and efficient relief, which can only be obtained by a restoration of public confidence and the return of business to its accustomed channels at the earliest moment possible. It was referred to the committee on federal relations.

Mr. Goody reported a bill to exempt from execution the property of a debtor, to the amount of three hundred dollars.

A message was received from the Governor, communicating the proceedings of a public meeting at Weverton, published in the Senate proceedings of yesterday, which was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Gordon offered an order requesting the Governor to communicate to the House any information that he may have since received in connection with the whole subject. Adopted.

Mr. Stake said that the order for the Virginia troops to search for arms in this State had been countermanded by the Virginia authorities.

Mr. Chaplain offered an order providing for the sending of a special messenger to the Governor of Virginia, to obtain information on the whole subject, and that the committee on federal relations inquire and report whether or not, at the time of the burning of the Armory at Harpers' Ferry, certain citizens of Maryland went over to Virginia and appropriated and brought to this State certain arms at Harpers' Ferry. Laid on the table.

Mr. Jacobs reported a bill to prohibit gipsy encampments and traveling fortune-tellers—referred to the committee on the judiciary.—Also a bill to prohibit free negroes from returning to this State after leaving it. Also, a bill to authorize the county commissioners of the State to levy an amount not exceeding the annual levy for other county purposes to purchase arms for defense, build armories, etc.—referred.

The House then adjourned till to-morrow.

SENATE.—The bill to authorise the banks of the State to issue small notes—reported in the House proceedings of yesterday—was passed and is now a law.

The bill to empower the mayor and city council of Baltimore to raise and appropriate money for the defense of the city was passed, and is now a law.

Mr. Stone offered the following resolutions:

Whereas the late deplorable events that occurred in the city of Baltimore were caused by a misapprehension of the object of the passage of the troops over the soil of Maryland; and

Whereas that object was for the protection of our national capital, in the preservation of which our State is more deeply interested than any other, and not, as many supposed, for the purpose of attacking any of our sister States; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Maryland, That the passage of troops over the soil of Maryland for the protection of the national capital should not be considered an act of aggression on the part of the general government.

Resolved, That if any more troops than those now within the borders of the State should be necessary for the protection of our capital, that we recommend that they be transported by the different railroad companies over their roads.

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to do what in his judgment may seem best calculated to produce harmony and restore the travel on the different railroads to and from Baltimore. Referred to a select committee.

Mr. Lynch offered the following:

Whereas the condition of our country is such that civil war, with all its impending horrors, is about to break upon us, and from our geographical position, the lives and property, both public and private, of our citizens, will be more endangered than that of any other portion of the country. It becomes our duty as well as our interest to exhaust all means of conciliation and compromise, without relinquishing our constitutional rights; therefore be it

Resolved, That a joint committee of the two Houses be requested to take into consideration the propriety of recommending the appointment of a committee to wait on the President of the United States, the President of the Southern Confederacy, and the Governor of Virginia, with a view of bringing about some understanding whereby the danger may be averted, and civil war, the destruction of the lives and property of our citizens, be prevented, and that they report by resolution or otherwise; which was adopted.

The Senate went into executive session, and afterwards adjourned to meet in executive session at four o'clock this afternoon.

FREDERICK, May 2.

SENATE.—The Senate met in execution session and adjourned till 4 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.—The resolutions from the House appointing Messrs. Scott, McLane and Ross commissioners to Washington were concurred in.

Mr. Yellott reported a bill to provide for the safety and peace of the people of Maryland, as follows:

Whereas the present extraordinary state of the country and the distracted condition of the people demand that prompt and efficient measures should be adopted by the General Assembly of Maryland to secure the safety and peace of the people, and to avoid the evils and horrors of civil war; therefore

Be it Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Ezekiel F. Chambers, of Kent county; John V. L. McMahon, and Thomas Winans, of Baltimore city; Thomas G. Pratt, of Anne Arundel county; Enoch Louis Lowe, of Frederick county, and Walter Mitchell, of Charles county, together with the Governor of the State of Maryland, for the time being, or whoever may be lawfully acting in the capacity, be and they are hereby appointed a Board of Public Safety in and for the State of Maryland, a majority of whom may act in any case wherein said board may be authorized to act under the provisions of this or any supplemental act; and

Be it enacted, That the Board of Public Safety so constituted and appointed shall have full power and authority to provide for the better organization, arming and regulation of the militia of this State, and may remove and appoint any officer of the militia above the rank of captain, and may commission any such appointee in the name and under the great seal of the State of Maryland; and the said Board of Public Safety shall have full power to provide for the protection, safety, peace and defense of the State; and be it enacted, that if any vacancy shall occur in the said board, it may be filled by a majority of the remaining members of said board, and the person or persons so appointed shall hold office until one month after the commencement of the next regular session of the General Assembly of Maryland; provided, nevertheless, in the event of a sovereign convention being elected by the voters of Maryland, in pursuance of a call of the present or any succeeding General Assembly, said Board of Public Safety shall be subject to such sovereign convention, which convention shall have power to remove any or all the members of said Board of Public Safety; and

Be it enacted, That the said Board of Public Safety shall report any or all of their acts and proceedings to the General Assembly of Maryland whenever required so to do by order or resolution, adopted by a majority of all the members of each branch thereof; and the members of said Board of Public Safety, before entering upon the duties of their office, shall take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation:

"That in any and every appointment or removal to be made by the Board of Public Safety, under the authority given them by law, I will in no case and under no pretext appoint or remove any officer of the militia or other person for or on account of his political opinions, or for any other cause or reason than the fitness or unfitness of such person in my best judgment for the place to which he shall be appointed, or from which he shall be removed;" and

Be it enacted, That the members of said board, except the Governor of this State, shall be entitled to compensation at the rate of —— dollars per month, payable monthly; and

Be it enacted, That the sum of —— dollars, as a contingent fund, be and it is hereby appointed to carry out the provisions of this law, and that all orders drawn by the Board of Public Safety on the treasurer of Maryland shall be paid out of said appropriation, such orders so drawn to be attested by the signatures of at least two members of said board; and

Be it enacted, That this law shall take effect from and after the date of its passage.

And be it enacted, That sections 1, 2, 12 and 13 of article 42 relating to the Governor, of the code of public general laws, and sections 14, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 43, 55, 61, 71, 96, 97, 99, 103, 107, 111, and 112 of article 63, relating to the militia, of the code of general laws, in so far as the same are in any manner inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

The bill was strenuously opposed by Messrs. Smith and Kimmell, but was finally ordered to a second reading by yeas 14, nays 8, as follows:

Yeas.—Messrs. Brooke, Blackiston, Duvall, Franklin, Dashiell, Graham, Gardner, Heckert, Lynch, McKaig, Townsend, Watkins, Whittaker and Yellott.

Nays—Messrs. Bradley, Goldsborough of Talbot, Goldsborough of Dorchester, Miles, Nuttle, Smith, Stone, Kimmell.

The Senate then adjourned till 8 o'clock, when the bill, as indicated by the above vote, will probably pass the Senate.

NIGHT SESSION.—The Senate met at eight o'clock. Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, is speaking in opposition to the bill to appoint a committee of safety.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.—The Speaker presented a number of communications of an apparently trifling character, which were referred, without being read, to the committee on federal relations.

A message was received from the Governor, enclosing the following communication, dated April 30th:

"The undersigned, citizens of Washington and Frederick counties, Maryland, pray that your Excellency will not be influenced to official action by a memorial that will be presented to your Excellency by a committee appointed at an informal meeting held at Weverton, April 29th, 1861. Your petitioners assure you that it was a meeting swayed by passion and prejudice, led by a republican, who, to further excite the element he had before him, used against Virginians such expletives as plunderers, rapscallions, cowardly rebels, thieves, &c. The memorial did not receive more than twenty votes, many of the undersigned refusing to vote, and opposing it from disgust of the proceedings. We assure your Excellency that as far as our experience goes, and most of us have farms near Harper's Ferry, and would have every knowledge of depredations committed by troops, that their demeanor towards Marylanders has been generally very courteous. The grievances complained of in the memorial were not authorized by the commanding officers of the forces at Harper's Ferry, and a formal assurance was sent by the commander-in-chief at Harper's Ferry to the citizens of Weverton, assuring them that no authority had been given to troops to search houses in Maryland, and that no such authority would be given to them. The evidence before the meeting proved that only one house was entered by them, and that peaceably; and that they returned to Harper's Ferry as soon as requested by our citizens to discontinue the search."

Signed by James H. Elgin and eighteen others.

The paper was referred.

Mr. Brining offered a resolution that a committee, to consist of one from each county of the State, and two from the city of Baltimore, be elected as delegates to the convention to be held in Frankfort, Kentucky, in response to her call, to consider the present crisis in our country, and, in connection with Kentucky and the other slaveholding States in convention, endeavor to work out an adjustment of our national troubles; referred to the committee on federal relations.

Mr. Gordon, chairman of the judiciary committee, reported the bill to exempt from execution [illegible] amount of $300, with an amendment exempting $100, instead of $300, which was adopted by yeas 30, nays 27.

Yeas—Messrs. Kilbourn, speaker; Maccubbin, Briscoe, Jones of Talbot, Chaplain, Long, Lawson, Holland, Miller, Jacobs, Landing, Kessler, Clagett, Routzahn, Salmon, Naill, Brune, Winans, Pitts, Harrison, Thomas, Wallis, Sangston, Morfit, Scott, Bayless, Gordon, Barnard, Roop, Gorsuch—30.

Nays—Messrs. Morgan, Rasin, Medders, Welch, Parran, Compton, Burgess, Dennison, Quinlan, Renshaw, Bryan, Wootton, Jones of Prince George's, Legg, Starkey, Dennis of Worcester, Straughn, Goldsborough, McCoy, Goody, Eakle, Brining, Griffith, Harding, McCleary, Turner, Brown—27.

The bill was then passed—yeas 50.

Nays—Messrs. Durant, Burgess, Renshaw, Lawson, Jacobs, Landing, Dennis of Worcester, and Goldsborough.

The bill, if passed by the Senate, will take effect on the 1st of June.

Mr. Wallis offered the following:

Resolved by the House of Delegates of Maryland, (the Senate concurring,) That Otho Scott, Robert M. McLane and William J. Ross be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners on the part of the State of Maryland, to communicate immediately, in person, with the President of the United States in regard to the present and proposed military use or occupation of the soil and property of the State by the general government; and they are directed to ascertain and report to the General Assembly forthwith, for its consideration, whether any becoming arrangements with the general government are practicable in that connection with the maintenance of the peace and honor of the State and the security of its inhabitants.

The resolution was adopted, and a message sent to the Senate asking its concurrence in the resolution.

EVENING SESSION.—Mr. Wallis, from the committee on federal relations, to whom was referred the communication of the Governor enclosing a report of the proceedings of a meeting of the citizens of Weverton, complaining of the action of Virginia troops in searching a house for arms, reported that they had inquired into the fact of the case to which the said proceedings had reference, and find that a small number of troops of Virginia having reason to believe that considerable quantities of arms taken from the Armory at Harper's Ferry on the night of its destruction by fire were secreted in the vicinity on the Maryland side of the line, took upon themselves, without authority, to cross into Maryland in order to search for and recover the same.

So far as the committee can ascertain their search was confined to a single house, and upon being warned by respectable citizens of the illegitimacy of their course, they proceeded no farther, and retired without inflicting any damage on persons or property.

On the representation being made to the commanding officers at Harpers Ferry, this act was immediately disavowed, and strict orders were given to prevent the recurrence of similar disorders in the future. A duplicate of this order was sent to Weverton without delay, by the hands of a prominent citizen of the county; and your committee have reason to believe that all anxiety or excitement on the subject has entirely ceased here.

They are further informed that the troops have been recently placed under the command of regular officers, and that the strictest military discipline will be enforced for the protection of the rights of the citizens of this State, and the maintenance of the respect due to her soil.

The committee accordingly think that no action of this House is necessary in the premises, and they respectfully ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject. The committee feel it to be their duty, however, to add that questions are likely daily to occur, and in fact are occurring, on account of the seizure of grain by the Virginia military authorities for their own supply, and to prevent the transmission of supplies to Washington.

These difficulties, unless prevented, or some definite understanding be had in regard to the matter between the two States, are likely to produce serious complications and embarrassments, and to disturb the friendly relations which now, more than ever, ought to exist between their authorities and citizens. They therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, &c., That —— be and he is hereby appointed a commissioner to proceed at once to Richmond, on the part of the State of Maryland to enter into negotiations with the proper authorities of Virginia for the protection of the citizens of Maryland from injury in person or property, by any unadvised acts of the military forces of Virginia; and that any compensation for any already done be provided for and to join with the said authorities in considering and adopting, subject to the approbation of the General Assembly, such arrangements as may be proper to preserve the harmony between the two States from disturbance by any existing causes whatever.

The report was adopted, and the resolution lies over one day under the rule.

The bill providing for a stay of execution on judgments or decrees for the payment of property, published in the House report of yesterday, was taken up.

Mr. Long objected to the bill unless provision was made in the bill requiring the debtor to give security to the auditor in such cases; and moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on the Judiciary, which was adopted.

Mr. Jacobs reported a bill to repeal the law relating to negroes attending meeting for religious purposes.

Mr. Quinlan obtained leave to report a bill to pay Samuel Jackson $828 for making a sword presented to Col. Dixon H. Miles, by order of the Legislature.

The House then adjourned till to-morrow.

NIGHT SESSION.—The bill appointing a "Board of Public Safety" was taken up. Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, offered an amendment that the Governor appoint one distinguished person from each congressional district to constitute the board, and spoke generally against the bill.

Messrs. McKaig and Yellott advocated the bill, and quoted the opinion of the Court of Appeals in the case of the Baltimore police bill in proof of its constitutionality.

Mr. Goldsborough offered other amendments, upon which, and repeated motions to adjourn, the yeas and nays were called. The matter was compromised finally, by permitting the bill to be ordered to a third reading, with the understanding that it should it be open to amendment on its last reading, and the Senate at midnight, adjourned.

FREDERICK, May 3.

SENATE.

MORNING SESSION.—The Senate met at the usual hour.

The bill for the appointment of a "Board of Public Safety" being under consideration, successive amendments were offered by the opponents of the bill, and the yeas and nays called on each.

EVENING SESSION.—The consideration of the "public safety bill" was resumed.

The first section was read, when an amendment proposing an election on the 13th of June of three persons—one from each Gubernatorial district, and another for six—one being from each Congressional district, in place of those persons named in the bill, were voted down.

The only amendment adopted was one substituting the name of John H. B. Latrobe for that of Thomas Winans, who declined.

The Senate then adjourned till 3 o'clock.

FREDERICK, May 3—9 P. M.—The Senate still continues in session, and now have under consideration the second section of the bill. There is but little probability that a final vote on it will be taken to-night, as its opponents express their determination to resist and delay its passage by every effort of parliamentary tactics allowed by the rules of the Senate. The friends of the bill express their intention to sit all night, if necessary.

Later.—The Senate has adjourned, without any further action on the bill.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

The bill to vest in the Board of Police Commissioners in Baltimore city the powers now vested in a single magistrate and constable, under the 66th article of the code of public general laws, relating to negroes and mulattoes was passed.

The committee on the judiciary reported unfavorably on the bill of Mr. Jacobs to prohibit free negroes from returning to the State after leaving it, etc.

Mr. Chaplain offered a minority report.—Both bills were recommitted to the judiciary committee.

A joint resolution appropriating $18 mileage in addition to the usual mileage, to each member and officer of both Houses from Baltimore city and all the counties, excepting Washington and Allegany, was passed.

The name of Outerbridge Horsey was inserted in the joint resolution appointing a commissioner to Richmond, reported yesterday, and the resolution was passed unanimously.

Mr. Gordon obtained leave to report a bill to provide for the qualification and installation as Comptroller of the Treasury of A. Lingan Jarrett, who was declared by the House of Delegates, on the 10th day of March, 1860, duly elected to said office, &c. Referred.

Mr. Wallis, from the committee on federal relations, offered a second order requesting the Governor to furnish the House, with as little delay as possible, a copy of his letter to which the letter of the Secretary of War of April 1st, 1861, already communicated, is a reply—which was adopted.

The House adjourned till to-morrow.

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