

Bank and Marine Bank of Baltimore, which have not been subscribed for by the state; and also the reserved shares of the state in the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore, provided that no sale be effected at a less rate than—per centum. And be it enacted, That the said reserved shares in the several banks aforesaid, shall be offered in the first instance to the banks respectively in which they may be, before the stock shall be carried into the market, the agent taking care to make no sale at a less rate than—per centum advance as aforesaid.”

On motion by Mr. Harrison, the question was put, That the name of “Robert Oliver” in the first clause of the amendment be stricken for the purpose of inserting, “treasurer of the western shore? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the blank in the first section of the said amendment was filled up with the word “ten.”

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the blank in the 2d section of the said amendment was filled up with the word “ten.”

The bill having been read throughout and amended, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to authorise and empower Charles Robinson and Elizabeth Robinson, administrators of Thomas Robinson, of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, to convey certain lands therein mentioned, endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendment; which amendment was read, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed. The bill to incorporate the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Maryland, endorsed, will not pass. A bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act to establish and regulate a market at Brice-Town, in Kent county, and for other purposes therein mentioned, and also to change the name of said place to Millington. Also a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act to regulate the inspection of salted fish, severally endorsed, passed by the senate February 5th, 1818; which were read. Also the following message:

BY THE SENATE, February 5th, 1818.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

The senate are not prepared to assent to all the details of the bill entitled, An act to regulate lotteries. We therefore request a conference with your honourable house on the provisions of this bill, and have appointed Messrs. Taney, Carmichael and Hollyday, a committee on the part of the senate, to confer with such gentlemen as may be named on the part of the house of delegates.

By order,

R. HARWOOD, Clk.

Which was read.

On motion by Mr. Blakistone, the following order was read:

Ordered, That the committee of claims close the journal of accounts including Monday next.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the said order.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the words “including each member who may be attending on Saturday next,” were added to the order.

The order having been read throughout and amended, the question was put, That the house adopt the same? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Wilson, the following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, February 5, 1818.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message of this morning, requesting a conference with regard to the bill relating to lotteries. We agree to your proposition, and have appointed Messrs. Lecompte, Causin, Forrest, Weems and Harrison, on our part.

By order,

L. GASSAWAY, Clk.

On motion by Mr. Somerville, the question was put, That the house adjourn until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock? Resolved in the affirmative.

The house adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY, February 6, 1818.

The house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill to authorise a loan to the state, and for other purposes; and the message relative to a conference on the bill relating to lotteries, were sent to the senate.

The further supplement to the act directing the manner of suing out attachments in this province, and limiting the extent of them, and the bill relating to the militia of Allegany county, were returned to the senate.

The report on the petition of John Hoyer, executor of Paul Hoyer, was read the second time, concurred with, the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the additional supplement to the act for the speedy recovery of small debts out of court.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the question was put, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to the next general assembly? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Kennedy, the words “not being a freeholder” in the 1st section were stricken out.

On motion by Mr. Kell, the words “and shall have remained in gaol for five days” were stricken out of the said section.

On motion by Mr. Woodyear, the word “necessary” was inserted after the word “accoutrements” in the third section.

On motion by Mr. Forrest, the words “provided the same does not amount to more than twenty-five dollars” were stricken out of the 3d section.

On motion by Woodyear, the word “person” in the first line of the 4th section was stricken out.

On motion by Mr. Woodyear, the word “person” in the 7th line of said section was stricken out.

On motion by Mr. Woodyear, the word “person” in the 9th line of said section was stricken out.

The bill having been read throughout and amended, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Neale	Jenifer	Martin	Beard	Bradford	Yates
Estep	Price	Stevens	Claggett	Steel	Schnebly
C Stewart	Showers	Tenant	Claude	Holbrook	Kennedy