

Mr. Maulsby from the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, reports resolutions favourable to Isaac Kent, Thomas Davis, Richard Foggett, Benjamin Popham, James Frazier, Nehemiah Beckwith, William Merrick, William Byas and William Lewis; which were severally read.

Also the following report:

The committee of pensions and revolutionary claims, to whom was referred the petition of Peter Gebhart, of Allegany county, having had the same under their consideration, beg leave to report—That it appears from a resolution passed at December session 1815, No 31, that the treasurer of the western shore was directed to pay to the said Peter Gebhart the sum of two hundred dollars in full compensation for those services which he rendered during the revolutionary war, from which it appears to your committee, that the said Peter Gebhart has no further claim on the state for his services, and that he have leave to withdraw his petition.

By order,

T. POLLARD, Clk.

Which was read.

On motion by Mr. W. R. Stuart, the following resolution was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Resolved, That Henry Darden, one of the securities of William Chambers, against whom a judgment has been obtained by the state of Maryland in Queen-Anne's county court, be indulged in the payment thereof, till the first day of December next, provided always that the said Henry Darden shall, on the 1st day of next court, appear on the capias ad satisfaciendum issued against him in Queen-Anne's county court, and consent to the stay of execution, upon which the sheriff of Queen Anne's county shall be discharged from the judgment rendered against him by default in the above case.

Mr. Tomlinson presents a petition from Thomas Stallings, and others, praying to be released from a debt due by them to the state; which was read and referred to Messrs. Tomlinson, Greenwell and Blair.

Mr. Breckenridge reports a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of the president and directors of the Union Bank of Baltimore; which was read.

Mr. Breckenridge presents a memorial from the Baltimore society for the encouragement of industry, praying to be incorporated; which was read and referred to Messrs. Breckenridge, H Hall and Montgomery.

Mr. Quinton presents a petition from James Powell, sheriff of Worcester county, praying an increase of the allowance for keeping prisoners; which was read and referred to Messrs. Quinton, A. Spence and Riley.

Mr. Kennedy presents a petition from George Haskinson, and wife, praying that a lot deeded by Peter Myers to his children may be sold; which was read and referred to Messrs. Kennedy, Keller and Gabby.

The bill authorising Daniel Schnebly, late sheriff and collector of Washington county, further time to complete his collection; the bill authorising Joseph M. Cromwell, to complete his collection; the bill for the relief of Andrew Raburgh of Queen-Anne's county; the bill for the relief of Richard Odle, of Anne-Arundel county, were severally read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill relating to constables in the city of Baltimore, was read the second time and passed.

The bill extending the time for taking the bond of the sheriff of Calvert county, was read the second time, and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from Edward H. Calvert's old mill, in Prince George's county, to the District of Columbia, and the bill for the relief of Jonathan Rasin of Kent county, severally endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. And a bill, entitled, An act to empower the chancellor to make such decree as to him shall be just and right, in the case therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass;" which was read.

The resolution relative to an investment in the stock of the Washington Turnpike Company, was read the second time, and on motion by Mr. Spencer, the question was put, That the words "and paid in in specie;" be added after the words "forty thousand dollars?" Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the house assent to the same? Determined in the negative.

Mr. Ross reports a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of John M. Pherson, and others, appointed managers of a lottery under an act passed at December session 1816, chapter 42; which was read.

On motion by Mr. Montgomery, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act relating to vagrants in the city of Baltimore. Ordered, That Messrs. Montgomery, Breckenridge and Boyle, prepare the same.

Mr. Stevens presents a petition from Speddon Orem and Hugh Orem, of Talbot county, praying they may be authorised to collect the debts due John Nicken deceased; which was read and referred to Messrs. Stevens, N. Martin and Hayward.

On motion by Mr. Kennedy, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to stay executions for a limited time in cases where property does not bring at sheriffs or constable sales, at least two thirds of its appraised value. Ordered, That Messrs. Kennedy, Greenwell, Garner, H. Hall, Harrison, Lecompte and Saulsbury, report the same.

The report on the petition of Mary Kline, was read the second time, and concurred with.

The act supplementary to the act for the further compensation of jurors in Harford county, was read the second time, and on motion by Mr. Forwood, the question was put, That the following be stricken out? "And be it enacted, That the jurors who have attended Harford county court, since the passage of the act to which this is a supplement, shall be entitled to receive the same mileage, as is provided by this act, and the act to which this is a supplement? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

The resolution in favour of Zachariah Roberts, was read the second time and assented to.

Mr. Montgomery reports a bill, entitled, An act relating to the city court of Baltimore; which was read the first and second time by especial order, and passed.

Mr. Greenwell presents a petition from sundry inhabitants of Allegany county, praying a suspension of executions; which was read and referred to the committee appointed to bring in a bill for that purpose.

Mr. Stonestreet reports a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of Margaret Naylor and James Naylor, of Charles county; which was read.