

brook, Willis, Whitely, Barney, J. P. Kennedy, Gabby, T. Kennedy, Kershner, Bowles, Gaither, Harding, Darnes, Reid, Blair.—52.

Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. R. Stevens, the question was put, "That the following be inserted in said clause after the word 'attorney?' 'or some person authorised by him, her or them, in writing.'" Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. B. S. Forrest, the question was put, That the words "six cents" be stricken out of the clause giving compensation to the clerks for furnishing a short copy of a judgment? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. B. S. Forrest, the question was put, That the following clause be stricken out, viz. "That it shall not be lawful for the clerk to issue execution on any judgment rendered by, or superseded taken before, a justice or justices of the peace." Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. B. S. Forrest, the question was put, That the word "not" be stricken out of the said section? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Dennis, the question was put, That the words "in all the above mentioned cases," be inserted in said clause after the word "that?" Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Dennis, the question was put, That the residue of the said clause be stricken out after the word "execution," for the purpose of inserting the words "unless required by the plaintiff or plaintiffs." A division of the question was called for by Mr. Willis, and the question put on striking out? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. B. S. Forrest, the question was put, That the following section be stricken out: "And be it enacted, That all executors and administrators shall be able to supersede under, and have all the advantages of the above mentioned act of 1819." Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Wright, the following was added to the said section: "And the form of the supersedeas to be used in such case, shall be as nearly similar to the form prescribed in the said act as the circumstances of the case will admit."

On motion by Mr. Boyle, the further consideration of the said bill was postponed until Monday next.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill for the revaluation of real and personal property of Saint Mary's county, and the bill for the benefit of James Jameson, of Virginia, severally endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. Also a communication from the executive, enclosing sundry resolutions of Tennessee, Vermont and New Jersey, in relation to certain proposed alterations of the constitution of the United States. Also a letter from J. P. Durand, containing a proposal to furnish the state with arms, together with a letter from William A. Mercein, enclosing a law of congress respecting the rules and regulations for field exercise; and informing the legislature, that during the recess thereof they had filled vacancies which occurred in the offices of register of wills for Anne-Arundel, Kent and Somerset counties. And the following message:

BY THE SENATE, December 9, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The Rev. Dr. Henry L. Davis has been appointed to perform divine service in the senate during the present session. We propose that the Rev. Mr. Emory and the Rev. Mr. Davis, be requested alternately to attend each house at their hours of meeting.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.

Which were read.

The clerk of the council delivers a communication from the executive, relative to the claims of this state on the government of the United States; which was read.

Mr. Dennis presents a petition from Robert Elzey and Nathaniel Horsey, of Delaware, praying remuneration for apprehending Jesse Griffith; which was read and referred to Messrs. Dennis, W. Eccleston and Frazier.

Mr. Marriott presents a petition from Richard Odle, of Anne-Arundel county; which was read and referred to the committee on out pensioners.

Mr. Wroth reports a bill, entitled, An act authorising John V. Price, late collector of the first collection district in Cecil county, to complete his collection. And a bill, entitled, An act authorising Henry E. Coleman to remove a certain negro slave from the state of Louisiana into this state for the use of Peregrine Ward 3d, of Cecil county; which were read.

The order relative to the latest Philadelphia edition of Bacon's Abridgement, was read the second time and assented to.

Mr. Boyle from the committee of elections delivers the following report:

The committee of elections and privileges report—That they have inspected the returns of the judges of elections of the several counties, and for the cities of Baltimore and Annapolis, and find that by the said returns the following persons are elected, and duly returned as members of the house of delegates, to wit: For Saint Mary's county, Henry G. S. Key, George Plater, Alexander W. Reeder, and John L. Millard, Esquires. For Anne-Arundel county, William H. Marriott, Thomas W. Hall, Charles Steward, (of David,) and Walter Wyvill, Esquires. For Calvert county, Sutton I. Weems, Daniel Kent, John Beckett, and James A. D. Dalrymple, Esquires. For Charles county, John T. Stoddert, John Edelen, Lawrence Posey, and Thomas Rogerson, Esquires. For Baltimore county, Tobias E. Stansbury, Adam Showers, John B. Snowden, and Edward Orrick, Esquires. For Talbot county, Daniel Martin, William Hayward, Jr. Nicholas Martin, and Samuel Stevens, Jr. Esquires. For Somerset county, Matthias Dashiell, Littleton P. Dennis, Levin R. King, and Josiah F. Polk, Esquires. For Cecil county, John S. Moffitt, Robert H. Archer, John Wroth, and Thomas Williams, Esquires. For Prince George's county, Joseph Cross, Thomas C. Lyles, Richard T. Hall, and Julius Forrest, Esquires. For the City of Annapolis, James Boyle and Lewis Duvall, Esquires. For Queen Anne's county, Henry E. Wright, Robert Stevens, Richard Moffitt, and Charles R. Nicholson, Esquires. For Worcester county, Thomas N. Williams, Ephraim K. Wilson, Charles Parke, and William F. Selby, Esquires. For Frederick county, Alexander Warfield, Robert G. M. Pherson, Ignatius Davis, and Joshua Cockey, Esquires. For Harford county, Israel D. Maulsby, William H. Allen, Abel Alderson, and Alexander

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