

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, February 24, 1823.

*Gentlemen of the Senate*—We propose, with the concurrence of your honorable body, to invite the governor to attend in the senate chamber this evening at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of signing the laws. Messrs. John P. Kennedy and Millard, are appointed on the part of this house, to join such gentlemen as may be appointed by you, to wait on his excellency, and invite his attendance.

By order,

J. BREWER, Clk.

On motion by Mr. Thomas Kennedy, the following resolution was read; assented to, and sent to the senate.

*Resolved*, That the governor and council be and they are hereby requested, to cause, a notice to be published in all the newspapers of this state, giving notice to the justices of the levy courts of the several counties, to meet on the first Monday in May next, to levy the sums directed by the act of December session 1822, to raise a revenue for the support of government, also that they cause to be published an abstract of the acts of December session 1819, and the act of December session 1821, relating to licenses required to be taken out by retailers of dry goods, importers and wholesale merchants.

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

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to Jeremiah Hughes, esq. or order, the sum of twelve dollars, for printing the additional report of the committee of ways and means, and list of laws passed this session, which work has been performed since the journal of accounts was closed.

The engrossed bills from No. 114 to 223, inclusive, were returned by the clerk of the senate, endorsed "read and assented to."

The clerk of the senate returns the journal of accounts, and the bill for the payment of the same, endorsed "will pass," and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution relative to the chancery office; the resolution in favour of Samuel Davis and Wm. Gudginton; the resolution relative to per diem; the resolution in favour of Jeremiah Hughes, endorsed "assented to."

The resolution relative to public notice; the resolutions in favour of John Bond, Thomas Permyfield, Edward Shoebrook and Colter Jones, endorsed, "dissented from."

And the following messages:

BY THE SENATE, February 24, 1823.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates*—The senate have rejected the resolution in favour of Edward Shoebrook, as they understand his habits are such as would prevent the money intended to be given by the resolution from being of service to him or his family.

The senate will agree to give it to some respectable citizen of Caroline county, for the use of the petitioner.

By order,

WM. KILTY, Clk.

BY THE SENATE, February 24, 1823.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates*—The senate concur in your proposal to invite the governor into the senate chamber at 10 o'clock this evening, to sign the remainder of the laws.

Messrs. Johnson and Quinton, are named by the senate, to join the gentlemen named by your house for that purpose.

By order,

WM. KILTY, Clk.

The resolution in favour of Richard Kisby, endorsed "refused to be reconsidered."

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

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb. 24, 1823.

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to Joseph Boon, of Caroline county, or to his order, annually, and in case of his death to his executors, in quarterly payments, the half pay of a private, for the support and maintainance of Edward Shoebrook: during his life, as a compensation for services rendered in the revolutionary war.

By order

J. BREWER, Clk.

The clerk of the senate returns the said resolution, endorsed "assented to."

Mr. Wootton and Mr. Quinton from the senate inform the speaker that his excellency is in the senate chamber to sign and seal the laws, and request his attendance, with the members, for that purpose. The speaker left the chair, and attended by the members went to the senate chamber, where his excellency signed and sealed the engrossed bills to No. 223, inclusive.

No. 1. An act for the benefit of John Schwartsfelter and Jacob Christ, of Washington county. 2. An act to confirm an act entitled, an act to alter that part of the constitution and form of government relating to the division of Dorchester county into five separate election districts. 3. An act entitled, an act for the support of Thomas Deford, of Queen Ann's county, an afflicted son of Edward Deford, of said county. 4. An act to provide for the election of a vestry to St. John's church in Queen Caroline parish, in Anne Arundel county. 5. An act to appoint commissioners for the purpose of dividing Dorchester county into six separate election districts. 6. An act to confirm an act entitled, An act to alter and repeal such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state, as relates to the division of Frederick county into election districts. 7. An act to provide for the building of a bridge over Antietam creek, at John Shafer's mill, in Washington county. 8. An act to provide for the building a bridge over Antietam creek, in Washington county. 9. An additional supplement to an act entitled, an act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the turnpike near Westminster to Taney town, thence with the main street through Emitsburg to Troup's tavern. 10. An act for the relief of Alexander Robertson, of Worcester county. 11. An act to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council for the ensuing year. 12. An act for the support of George Buckler, of St. Mary's county. 13. An additional supplement to the act entitled, an act to regulate elections. 14. An act to confirm an act passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-one, entitled, an act to repeal all such parts of the con-