

Fling, Daniel Gelwicks, Susanna Brewer, Ezekiel Thomason and Margaret Hamilton; also the following report:

The committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, to whom was referred the order of the house of delegates, to enquire into the expediency of fixing by law, the nett amount of annual income, which shall disqualify any applicant from being placed on the pension list, beg leave to report—That they have had the same under consideration, and are of opinion that it would answer no good purpose to fix the nett amount of annual income, because subsequent legislatures would not be bound by any rule adopted by us.

By order,

ISAAC HINES, Clk.

Ordered that they have a second reading on Wednesday next: The bill for the relief of the collectors of the direct tax in the several counties in this state; was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Loockerman reports a bill entitled a supplement to the act, entitled an act for the benefit of the children of Samuel Colston of Talbot county, which was twice read, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Willis reports a bill entitled an act, to alter the mode of summoning and returning grand and petit jurors to the county court in Dorchester county, which was twice read by special order, amended and passed. The bill to build or repair the jail of Prince George's county; and the bill for the benefit of the infant children of Ann Maria Campbell of Dorchester county; were read the second time and passed. The report in favor of Bushrod W. Marriott of Anne Arundel county; was read the second time, and the resolution therein contained dissented from. The additional supplement to an act for amending and reducing into system the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, the duties of executors, administrators and guardians, and the rights of orphans, and other representatives of deceased persons, was read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill entitled, an act relating to gates on the public roads in Caroline county, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The bill authorising gates to be kept on the public roads in Queen Ann's county, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments," which amendments were read, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The bill for the benefit of George W. Neale, of Charles county, and for other purposes, endorsed will pass with the proposed amendments; which amendments were read.

The bill for the relief of Malachy Craddock, endorsed, "amendment reconsidered and corrected." Ordered that the same be engrossed. Also a letter from Henry Thompson, president of the Baltimore & Harford turnpike company, and John H. Barney, president of the Baltimore and Havre de Grace turnpike company, enclosing statements relative thereto.

Mr. Millard presents a petition from the pilots of Saint Mary's county, praying there may be no deduction of their fees; read and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk to the executive delivers a communication from the executive, relative to the quantity of wood purchased annually. On motion by Mr. Nicholson, ordered, that the same be referred to the committee of claims, with instructions to report thereon.

Mr. Johnson reports a supplement to an act entitled, an act for altering and amending the road from Baltimore city to Belle Air, in Harford county.

Mr. Sewell presents a petition from William Simmons; referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

On motion by Mr. Boon, ordered, that the bill to limit and ascertain the number of justices of the peace have a second reading on Monday next.

The house adjourns until Monday morning 9 o'clock.

MONDAY, February 9, 1824.

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

The additional supplement to an act entitled, an act for amending and reducing into system, the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, the duties of executors, administrators and guardians, and the rights of orphans and other representatives of deceased persons. The bill for the benefit of the infant children of Ann Maria Campbell, of Dorchester county; the bill to build or repair the jail of Prince George's county, and the bill to alter the mode of summoning and returning grand and petit jurors to the county court in Dorchester county, were sent to the senate.

The further supplement to the act entitled, an act for the regulating the mode of staying executions, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Semmes reports a bill entitled, an act to provide a revenue for the support of the government of this state. Ordered, that the same have a second reading on Wednesday next.

Mr. Linthecum presents a petition from Charles Litchfield, praying support; referred to the committee on petitions of a similar nature.

Mr. Edelen reports a bill entitled, an act for the benefit of James Hill, of Charles county.

Mr. Millard reports a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Julian Coleman, of the city of Baltimore, and a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Jennima Floyd, of Saint Mary's county.

The bill relating to Saint Stephen's Parish in Cecil county; and the supplement to an act, entitled an act to change the place of holding the elections in the third election district in Cecil county, and for other purposes, were read the second time, passed and sent to the senate. The