

Mr. Stevens moved to strike out "five." Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Hall moved to fill it up with "four." Determined in the negative.

Mr. Merrick moved to refer the order to the 1st of April. Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Tyson presents a petition from Ann Culverwell, for a divorce; referred to the standing committee.

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

Ordered, That this house sit for the dispatch of business, from 9 to 2 in the morning, and from 4 to 7 in the evening.

On motion by Mr. Merrick, the same was referred to the 1st of June next.

On motion by Mr. Lee, Ordered, That the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, be instructed to enquire into, and report upon the expediency of repealing or modifying the act No. 199, entitled, An act relating to pensions granted by this state, passed at December session 1821.

Mr. Goldsborough obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to prevent persons residing out of this state, from injuring the fisheries in the river Susquehanna below the Pennsylvania line. Ordered, That Messrs. Goldsborough, Lee, Grubb, Thomas and Harlan, report the same.

Mr. Millard reports a bill, entitled, An act to divorce William Vickars, and Rebecca, his wife, of Dorchester county.

Mr. Barrette reports a bill, entitled, An act relative to public roads in Prince-George's county.

Mr. Beckett reports a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the heirs of John C. Ireland.

Mr. Barrette reports a bill, entitled, An act to correct and prevent the evils arising from the illicit dealing trade, traffic and intercourse between free negroes and mulattoes with servants and slaves.

Mr. Banning reports a bill, entitled, An act to divorce David H. White and Ann White, of the city of Baltimore.

Mr. Howard delivers the following report:

The committee to whom was referred the bill from the senate entitled, "A supplement to the act entitled, An act for the improvement of M. Clure's dock in the city of Baltimore," report said bill with the following amendments:

1st. In the 1st section 3d line strike out "eight" and insert "ten."

2d. In the 4th line strike out "twenty," and insert "twenty-two."

In the 2d section 3d line strike out the word "scows."

Which was read.

Mr. Banning reports a bill, entitled, An act relating to the public roads in Talbot county.

The clerk of the senate returns the bill to incorporate The Lafayette Beneficial Society of Baltimore, endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. The bill to divorce William Alexander