

The bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the second presbyterian church in the city of Baltimore, was read the second time and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.
The senate adjourns till half after 4 o'clock.

Half after 4 o'clock. POST MERIDIEM.

THE senate met.

The engrossed bills numbers 107, 108, 109 and 110, were severally read, assented to, and, with the paper bills thereof, sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act vesting certain powers in the congress of the United States. ORDERED, That Mr. Johnson, Mr. Ringgold and Mr. Christie, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Johnson, from the committee, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act vesting certain powers in the congress of the United States; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following resolutions, to wit:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JANUARY 8, 1803.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be requested to take such steps as to them shall seem proper, for collecting together and placing our military stores in the best situation for public use, and for the effectual preservation of the public arms and military accoutrements, and that they be also requested to have procured such a number of ball cartridges as they may think necessary to answer any sudden call or emergency in defence of this state.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be and they are hereby authorised to draw on the treasury of the western shore for such sum or sums of money, not exceeding five hundred dollars, as may be necessary to carry into effect the above resolution.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be requested, and they are hereby authorised, to allow to the company of the select militia, and the company of artillery, in the city of Annapolis, such a quantity of powder and ball as they may think necessary in case of any emergency, (for the proper exercising and training of the same,) by orders drawn for that purpose on the person who may have charge of the military stores.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JANUARY 8, 1803.

RESOLVED, That if, from a survey to be made of that part of the tract of land called Beall's Level, heretofore sold by the agent of the state to James Williams and Uriah Forrest, it shall appear to the satisfaction of the chancellor, that any part of the said part of a tract called Beall's Level, sold as aforesaid, has been appropriated to public purposes, within the saving contained in the contract between the said agent and the said Williams and Forrest, that then and in such case the chancellor may determine what allowance ought to be made to the said Williams; and if the chancellor shall be of opinion that any part of the money heretofore paid by the said Williams and Forrest, or either of them, on account of the purchase aforesaid, should be returned, that then the treasurer of the western shore shall credit the said Williams by the amount so ascertained by the chancellor, and the bond of the said Williams and Forrest for the said land shall be cancelled.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, An act vesting certain powers in the congress of the United States, was read the second time by a special order, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Mr. Harwood, president, Mr. Christie, Mr. Duckett, Mr. Hollingsworth, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Ringgold.

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N E G A T I V E.

Mr. Brown, Mr. Houston, Mr. M'Culloch. 3.

So it was resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

BY THE SENATE, JANUARY 8, 1803.

GENTLEMEN,

WE find it impracticable to close the session this evening as was expected when our message of this morning was sent to you. The senate will adjourn until to-morrow, when the business of the session can be brought to an end.

By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

The resolution respecting military stores was read the second time, assented to with the proposed amendment and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Amendment proposed. Strike out the words included in the parenthesis.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.