

On motion by Mr. C. Dorsey, *Ordered*, That the consideration of the bill to make a uniform provision for the officers and soldiers of the Maryland line be postponed until to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. R. Neale, *Ordered*, That the further consideration of the bill for the amendment of the law, be postponed until to-morrow.

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1811.

THE House met.—Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The additional supplement to the act entitled, An act respecting the equity jurisdiction of the county courts, was sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Marriott, *Ordered*, That the bill for the relief of John M'Fadon be re committed; and that Messrs Marriott, Herbert, Howard and T. B. Hall, be added to the said committee.

On motion by Mr. Marriott, *Ordered*, That the committee to whom was referred the petition of John M'Fadon, and the memorial counter thereto, be, and they are hereby empowered to send for persons and papers, should they deem the same necessary.

Mr Wilson delivers a petition from Wealthy Beachbord, of Worcester county, praying to be supported out of the poor's house; which was read and referred to Messrs. Wilson, T. N. Williams, and Quinton.

Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a bill entitled, An act for the benefit of William Taylor of Worcester county; which was read the first and second time by special order, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a bill entitled, An act to empower the levy courts of Worcester and Anne-Arundel counties to sell the ware-houses in said counties. Mr. Pechin delivers a bill entitled, An act for the relief of William Slater, of the city of Baltimore; and a bill entitled, An act for the relief of Thomas Dempsey, of the city of Baltimore; which were read.

Mr. Donaldson delivers a bill entitled, An act for the opening and extending of Pratt-street, in the city of Baltimore, which was read and ordered to have a second reading on the 13th inst.

Mr. Pechin delivers a petition from Rufus Bigelow, and John G. Proud, of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency; which was read and referred to Messrs. Pechin, Donaldson and Randal; and a petition from Benjamin Goodhue, of the city of Baltimore, praying a special act of insolvency; which was read and referred to Messrs. Pechin, Donaldson and Harryman.

Mr. L. Duvall delivers a petition from the elders of the Methodist church, in the city of Annapolis, praying that the intention of Millbourne Segill's will may be carried into effect; which was read and referred to Messrs. L. Duvall, Claude and Belt.