state two thousand six hundred and thirteen dollars; amounting in the whole to four thousand two hundred and thirteen dollars. In consideration whereof, the following resolutions are respectfully submitted:

Resolved, That the executive be, and they are hereby directed to forward to the clerks of the several counties in this state, and to the register of wills thereof, one copy of chancellor Kilty's Reports of the English and British Statutes, for the use of the said courts; two for the court of appeals, and one for the high court of chancery.

Resolved, That the chief clerk to the house of delegates be, and he is hereby authorised and empowered to make sale of nine bundred and fifty volumes of chancellor Kilty's compitation of English and British Statutes, together with the copy right, belonging to the state of Maryland; and the said chief clerk shall, before he proceeds to make sale of any of the said books, give bond for the faithful performance of his duty, to the state of Maryland, with security to be approved by the governor and council; which bond shall be lodged in the treasury of the Western Shore; and the said chief clerk shall, after his having given bond, proceed to dispose of the said books; and when a sale is made of the whole or of any part thereof, he shall pay the amount of sales into the treasury, making a deduction of six per cent for his services.

By order,

LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Shriver delivers a bill entitled, An act to authorise Joseph Greenawalt and Emanuel Brower, of Frederick county, to sell and convey certain land therein mentioned; which was read.

Mr. T. N. Williams delivers a petition from suidr, persons in Worcester county, praying for a road from the north side of Elijah Laws' mill, and running as a road is now cut out, to intersect the road leading from Dennis' mill; which was read and referred

to Messrs T. N. Williams, Wilson and Quinton.

Mr. Pechin delivers a petition from Martha M'Guire, of the city of Baltimore, praying a divorce, which was read and referred to Messrs. Pechin, Harryman and Donaldson.

The bill for the relief of Littleton Dennis Teackle, of Somerset county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the

senate.

Mr. Zachariah Duvall delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Anne-Arundel county, counter to the petition against public ferries; which was read and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which it is counter.

On motion by Mr. Marriott, Ordered, that Messrs. Z. Duvall,

and Tomlinson be added to the said committee.

The bill for the benefit of James Cochran, of Cecil county; the bill empowering the surveyors of the several counties of this state, and their deputies to qualify their chain and pole carriers; the bill to authorise Edward Barton and William Kelly to alter and