

in that body, and hope, upon re-consideration, you will pass the same.

By order,

JOHN BREWER, Clk.

Which was read.

The bill entitled, An act for the relief of Stephen Reyner, of Talbot county, was read the second time by special order, passed and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of salted fish in this state, was read the second time and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The resolution in favor of William Richardson, was read the second time, dissented from, and with the following message sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

BY THE SENATE, Jan. 3, 1812.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

We return you the resolution in favor of William Richardson, and if you would originate another, requiring said Richardson to lodge his bond and security with the treasurer, indemnifying the state in case the lost certificate should be found, we will pass it.

By order,

T. ROGERS, Clk.

Mr. Brown, from the committee to whom were referred the resolutions in favor of the officers and soldiers of the revolution, delivers the following report, viz :

THE Committee to whom were referred the several resolutions from the house of delegates relative to officers and soldiers, have considered the same, and beg leave to report, that William Pegram, Keley Tidings, Dudley Lee and Frederick Bennet, are entitled to the bounty of the legislature, and recommend the passing of the resolutions in their favor; and that we have refrained to express any opinion on the resolutions in favor of Thomas Harris, Daniel Richardson, Robert Elliott and Edward Mahooney, and refer them to the consideration of the senate. And it appears that Clement Sewell and Joseph Ford, receive pensions from the United States. We therefore recommend the rejection of the resolutions in their favor. We beg leave further to report that a number of the officers in whose favor resolutions have passed, are entitled to some relief, but not to the extent contemplated by said resolutions; we therefore recommend the rejection of them, and propose to send a message to the house of delegates, stating that if they will pass resolutions in favor of such as appear to be entitled, allowing them a sum not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five dollars annually, to be paid in quarterly payments the senate will concur therein. The committee recommend the following persons to be included in the above provision, to wit: Gassaway Watkins, John S. Belt, William Bruce, Edward Till