

played; its gratitude for his services, and regret for his loss, the governor and council of this State be, and they are hereby directed, to purchase an appropriate golden medal, which they shall present, in the name of this State, to the nearest surviving male relation of the said lieutenant William S. Bush.

Resolved also, That the treasurer of the Western Shore, pay out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, the sum of _____ dollars to the order of the governor and council, so that the object of these resolutions may be carried into effect.

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

WEDNESDAY, November 18, 1812.

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

The bill for the relief of John Tobin; the bill to change the name of Henry Cochran and Charlotte Cochran, to that of Irvine; and the resolution in favor of Charles Richardson, were sent to the senate.

Mr. Marriott delivers a petition from Thomas Beale Dorsey, and others, praying for the repeal of an act of Assembly, passed at the last session, authorising the opening of a road from Richard Owings' mill to Queen Caroline Parish church, in Anne-Arundel county; which was read and referred to Messrs. Marriott, Wm. Hall, Belt, Randall and Z. Duvall.

Mr. Sanders delivers a petition from John Norris, of Harford county, and Elisha Tyson and Nathan Tyson, of the city of Baltimore; praying that a supplement to the law for opening and extending Pratt street may pass, directing that Pratt street shall remain as it now is from Franklin lane to Gay street; which was read and referred to Messrs. Sanders, Barney, Donaldson, Emerson and Handy.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, the question was put, That the further consideration of the bill entitled, An act to repeal an act entitled, A supplement to an act entitled, An act to ascertain the allowance of members of the General Assembly, electors of Senate, and electors of President and Vice-president of the United States, be postponed until the 25th day of December next? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Blackistone, C. Hall, Marriott, Belt, Wm. Hall, Z. Duvall, Taney, Turner, Emerson, Stonestreet, Parnham, Ford, Bayly, Long, Waller, Evans, Lusby, F. M. Hall, Wright, Emory, Stevens, Burgess, Handy, Quinton, Young, Donaldson, Barney, Wm. B. Williams, Sprigg, Abmones, Riggs, M'Culloh, Robinett, Cresap.—36.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Plater, Causin, Boyer, Stansbury, Harryman, Warner, Randall, Hambleton, Caldwell, Manning, Seth, John Stewart, Griffith, Hogg, Somervell, Callis, L. Duvall, T. N. Williams, Gramam, Potts, Delaplane, Sanders, Forwood, (of Jacob,) Potter, Hughlett, M'Donald, Perry.—27.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, An act to make public a road from Hancock Town in Washington county, to Cumberland in Allegany county, and for other purposes. *Ordered,* That Messrs. Bowles, Perry, Cresap, M'Culloh and Sprigg, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The clerk of the senate delivers a bill entitled, An act annulling the marriage of Jerome Bonaparte, of Westphalia, and Elizabeth Bonaparte, of the city of Baltimore, passed by the senate Nov. 18th, and the following letter from the governor elect:

To William Thomas, Esq. President of the Senate, and John C. Herbert, Esq. Speaker of the House of Delegates.

SOMERSET COUNTY, Nov. 14. 1812.

Gentlemen,
Yesterday afternoon I received yours of the 9th instant, informing me the legislature had been pleased to elect me governor of the State of Maryland, for the ensuing year. In obedience to the wishes of the legislature therein expressed, I will repair to Annapolis as early as practicable. I shall be home this evening or to morrow for that purpose. I am gentlemen, with respect, your's,

LEVIN WINDER.

which were severally read.

Mr. Perry delivers a petition from Thomas Grimes, of Allegany county, praying a divorce; which is read and referred to Messrs. Perry, Long and Taney.

Mr. Francis M. Hall delivers a petition from John Mitchell, Senr. of Prince George's county, praying that the levy court of Prince George's county may be authorised to levy a sum of money for support; which was read and referred to Messrs. Francis M. Hall, Somervell and Callis.

The report on the petition of Rezin Simpson; the report on the petition of Thomas Cahoe; the report on the petition of John Williams, Josias Alvey and Anthony Davis; and the report on the petition of Jesse Thompson, were severally read the second time, concurred with, and the resolutions therein contained assented to.

Mr. Belt from the committee delivers the following report:

THE Committee to whom was referred the petition of Ingram Cann, late a soldier in the revolutionary war, beg leave to report, That they have had the same under their consideration, and find in ample testimony, that the petitioner was a soldier in the Maryland line, in the year 1776, and continued until the end of the year 1779, and that he is now far advanced in life and labors under many infirmities, and is rendered unable to support his family; therefore your committee recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby directed to pay to Ingram Cann, late a soldier in the revolutionary war, or to his order, in quarterly payments, a sum of money