

The bill having been read throughout, the question was put, that the title thereof be amended by adding thereto the words "and for other purposes;" Resolved in the affirmative. The question was then put, shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Claude delivers a petition from Thomas S. Brewer of the city of Annapolis, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief; which was read.

On motion by Mr. Claude the question was put, that the said petition be referred to a committee? Determined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill to prevent the erection of booths within two miles of any Methodist camp or quarterly meeting in Frederick county, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Grahame from the committee delivers a bill entitled, An act to appoint commissioners to review and locate a road from the Old Glass Works called New Bremen, in Frederick county, to intersect the Baltimore and Frederick-Town turnpike road at New Market in said county; which was read.

Mr. Randall from the committee delivers a bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, An act to confirm a road in Harford and Baltimore counties therein mentioned; which was read.

On motion by Mr. A. E. Jones, *Ordered*, That John Shaw of the city of Annapolis, be requested to make out a list of furniture of every description belonging to the government house, and the contents thereof, and report the same to the committee appointed by this house to examine the state of said property, and that the committee of claims allow him a reasonable compensation for his services. The house adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

### THURSDAY, November 19, 1812.

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

Mr. Emory from the committee delivers a bill entitled, a further supplement to the act entitled, an act to facilitate the draining of land in the several counties therein mentioned; which was read.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill for the relief of Aquila Beall of Prince George's county, were read the second time, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Warner delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of the eastern precincts of Baltimore, praying for the opening of Aisquith-street to Pitt-street; which was read & referred to Messrs. Warner, Barryman, Randall, Stansbury and Donaldson.

Mr. Francis M. Hall delivers a petition from Henry W. Magruder, of Prince George's county, praying a special act of insolvency; which was read and referred to the committee on the bill concerning insolvent debtors.

The bill for the relief of Simeon Churchill of the city of Baltimore, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Donaldson from the committee delivers a bill entitled, An act for extending Green-street in the city of Baltimore; which was read.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from Thomas Colston of Dorchester county, praying that a law be passed to confirm his title to certain lands therein mentioned; which was read and referred to Messrs. Lecompte, Griffith and John Stewart.

The bill entitled, An act supplementary to the act entitled, An act granting a loan of money to the trustees of Charlotte Hall School, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

The bill making uniform provision for the surviving officers and soldiers of the late Maryland army in the revolutionary war; the resolution in favor of Thomas Cahoe; the resolution in favor of Joseph Thompson; the resolution in favor of Rezin Simpson, and the resolution in favor of John Williams, Josias Alvey and Anthony Davis, were sent to the senate.

Mr. Crabb moved for leave to withdraw himself from the committee of grievances and courts of justice; which was granted, and the house proceeded to ballot for a member to supply his place.

The ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentlemen named to strike retired, and after some time returned and reported that Mr. Lecompte was elected.

On motion by Mr. Stonestreet, *Ordered*, That the bill to repeal all such parts of the acts of Assembly of this State as require the payment of twenty-five shillings for a marriage license, be made the order of the day for Tuesday the 24th inst.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Dorchester county, praying that the county courts may be invested with unlimited chancery jurisdiction; which was read.

The resolution directing William Marbury, late agent for the State, to transfer to Benjamin Harwood, trustee, all the old six per cent, and deferred and three per cent stocks now standing in his hands belonging to the State; and the resolution authorising Benjamin Harwood, trustee and treasurer, to subscribe in the manner prescribed by the late act of Congress for the whole amount of the old six per cent and deferred stocks belonging to the State, and receive new certificates for the same, were severally read the second time and assented to.

According to the order of the day, the house proceeded to the second reading of the bill for the regulation of real and personal property in this State.

On motion by Mr. Plater the question was put, that the consideration of the third section of the bill be postponed until the rest of the bill shall have been read? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte the question was put, that the words "or orphans' court," be stricken from the sixth section of the bill? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Randall the question was put, that the further consideration of the said bill be postponed until Tuesday next? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Parnham the question was put, that the further consideration of the said bill be postponed until to-morrow. Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Hogg from the committee delivers a bill entitled, An act to change the place of holding the election in the third election district in Cecil county, and for other purposes; which was read.