

The clerk of the senate delivers a bill entitled, a further supplement to an act entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of the commissioners of the town of Havre-de-Grace, passed by the Senate, December 31; and the bill entitled, an act to establish a bank in the city of Baltimore, to be called the City Bank of Baltimore, accompanied by the following message:

BY THE SENATE, Dec. 31, 1812.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have reconsidered the sixth amendment to the bill providing for the establishment of a bank in the city of Baltimore, to be called the City Bank of Baltimore, and have receded therefrom.

By order,

THOS. ROGERS, Clk.

Which was read, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Potter appeared in the house.

On motion by Mr. Crabb, the following preamble and order were read:

Whereas, the committee of grievances in their report on the investigation into the late riots in the city of Baltimore, have reported their belief that the evidence collected by them is so strong as to justify a well grounded opinion that Tobias E. Stansbury consented to, and countenanced the completion of the horrid butcheries of the night of the 28th of July last, and that the house of delegates of Maryland, are bound by every consideration of justice and expediency to adopt every constitutional means with which it is invested, to bring the said Tobias E. Stansbury to a fair and impartial trial for his conduct in relation to the attack on the gaol, and the murder of General Lingan: *And whereas*, the house of delegates have concurred in the said report: *And whereas*, by the tenth section of the constitution and form of government, the house of delegates "may enquire, on the oath of witnesses, into all complaints, grievances and offences, as the grand inquest of this state, and may commit any person for any crime to the public gaol, there to remain until discharged by due course of law: *Therefore*, Ordered, That the speaker of the house of delegates of Maryland, issue his warrant for the apprehension and commitment of the said Tobias E. Stansbury to the gaol of Anne-Arundel county, in the words following:

To the Serjeant at Arms of the House of Delegates of Maryland.

Whereas, certain persons, to the house of delegates unknown, did, on the night of the twenty-eighth day of July, eighteen hundred and twelve, forcibly break open the gaol of Baltimore county, and feloniously murder James Mackubin Lingan, who was confined therein: *And whereas*, it appears to the house of delegates, from the testimony of certain witnesses examined before them, as the grand inquest of this state, that Tobias E. Stansbury, a member from Baltimore county, was present abetting and encouraging the said persons to break the said gaol and commit the said murder; you are therefore commanded forthwith, to arrest the said Tobias E. Stansbury, and to deliver him to the sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, who is hereby commanded to receive the said Tobias E. Stansbury into the public gaol of Anne-Arundel county, and him there safe keep, until discharged by due course of law.

Given under my hand and seal this _____ day of _____ eighteen hundred and _____

Ordered, that the warrant issued as aforesaid, be signed by the speaker, as speaker of the house of delegates of Maryland, and sealed with his private seal.

On motion by Mr. Dorsey, Ordered, That Messrs Dorsey, Donaldson and Plater, be a committee to examine and report to this house, precedents, if any, of any interposition by the house of delegates, to bring to trial any persons charged by witnesses, on oath, before the house, with the commission of any offence against the state.

The bill entitled, a further supplement to an act entitled, an act to enlarge the powers of the commissioners of the town of Havre-de-Grace, was read the second time by special order, and passed.

The house adjourns until this evening five o'clock.

POST MERIDIAN, 5 o'clock.

The House met.

Mr. Donaldson having requested to be excused from serving on the committee to examine and report precedents, Mr. Lecompte was appointed in his stead.

The message to the senate relative to an application of Jehu Chandler, in answer to one on that subject of the seventh of December was read the second time and agreed to.

The bill from the senate, entitled, an act to continue an act entitled, an act to provide for the administration of justice in cases of crimes and misdemeanors in the city and county of Baltimore, and the several supplements thereto, was read the second time, and the question put, shall the said bill pass?

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. C. Hall, Belt, W. Hall, Z. Duvall, Stansbury, Harryman, Warner, Randall, L. Duvall, Stevens, Forwood, (of Wm.) Forwood, (of J'b.) Bond, Sprigg.—14.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackistone, Causin, Boyer, Reynolds, Taney, Turner, Dorsey, Parnham, Ford, Hamblen, Caldwell, Banning, Seth, Bayly, A. E. Jones, J. Stewart, Lecompte, Griffith, Evans, Lusby, F. M. Hall, Callis, Davis, Potter, Hughlett, A. Jones, Crabb, Riggs, M. Culloh, Robinson.—32.

So it was determined in the negative.

Mr. Plater delivers a bill entitled, an act to make valid a deed from Thomas W. Caulk to Lambert Veazey, for a tract of land called Wheeler's Point, lying in Cecil county, and to confirm to Thomas Marsh Forman his title to said land; which was read.

The house proceeded to the consideration of the bill entitled, a further additional supplement to an act entitled, an act to regulate and discipline the militia of this state, and after some time spent therein the house adjourned until to morrow morning 9 o'clock.