

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, *Ordered*, that when this house adjourns it will stand adjourned until the first Monday in October next.

The clerk of the senate delivers the engrossed bills No. 19, 20, 22 and 23, endorsed, read and assented to. The resolution in favor of the members from Queen Ann's county, endorsed, assented to, and the following preamble and resolution :

BY THE SENATE, May 30, 1813.

*Whereas*, the just and unavoidable war in which we are engaged, waged not for conquest or from motives of ambition, but to secure some of the most sacred rights which appertain to free and independent nations. Yet as our only object is peace as soon as it can be attained upon equal and honorable terms ; Therefore

*Resolved unanimously*, that the evidences of a ready and earnest disposition so promptly manifested on all occasions by the government of the United States, to meet the government of Great Britain upon fair and honorable conditions, command our warmest approbation, and leave us fully persuaded that nothing but the want of a desire equally sincere on the part of the enemy can procrastinate the war or delay a peace, the end and object of all our wishes and efforts.

By order,

THOS. ROGERS, Clk.

Which were read the first and second time by special order, and the question put that the house assent to the same.

The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs Wm. Stuart, C. Hall, Belt, Wm. Hall, Stansbury, L. Duvall, Wright, Forwood (of Jb.) Wm. Williams, Sprigg.—10.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Millard, Plater, Blackstone, Causin, Boyer, Reynolds, Taney, Turner, Emerson, Stone-street, Ford, Hambleton, Caldwell, Banning, Seth, Bayly, A. E. Jones, Waller, Jno. Stewart, Lecompte, Evans, Lusby, Frey, Callis, Wilson, Handv, Quinton, Grahame, Davis, Potts, Delaplaine, Potter, Hughlett, M'Donald, Abm. Jones, Riggs, Robinett.—37.

So it was determined in the negative, and the preamble and resolutions returned to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Seth, the following message was read, assented to and sent to the senate :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, May 30, 1813.

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*

We have finished the business before us and are ready to close the session. We have appointed Messrs. Seth and William Stuart on the part of this house to join the gentlemen named in your message of this morning to wait on his excellency the governor and request his attendance in the senate chamber, to sign and seal the laws according to the constitution of this state.

By order,

UPTON S. REID, Clk.

Mr. Stephen and Mr. Williams from the senate inform the speaker that the governor is attending in the senate, to sign and seal the engrossed bills, and request his, and the attendance of this house for that purpose.

The speaker left the chair, and attended by the members of this house, went to the senate, and there presented the following engrossed bills to the governor, who signed the same and affixed the great seal thereto in presence of both houses.

- No. 1. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Welsh, daughter of Margaret Welsh, of Washington county.
2. A supplement to an act entitled, an act to provide for the appointment of commissioners for the regulation and improvement of Snow Hill, in Worcester county.
3. A further additional supplement to an act entitled, an act to incorporate companies to make several turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and for other purposes.
4. An act for the relief of Peter A. Carns, of St. Mary's county.
5. A supplement to the act entitled, an act to encourage the education of youth in Worcester county.
6. A supplement to an act entitled, an act for the valuation of real and personal property in the several counties of this state, passed at November session eighteen hundred and twelve.
7. An act to incorporate the trustees of the Westminster General Meeting House in Frederick county.
8. An act to authorise William Francis Lewis, former collector of Calvert county, to complete his collections.
9. An act for the relief of Thomas B. Briscoe of Saint Mary's county.
10. An act to alter and change the name of William Hamersley and Francis Hamersley his son, of Charles county, to that of William Hammersley Pile and Francis Hammersley Pile.
11. An act to provide for the settlement of claims arising from the past or future employment of the militia of this state.
12. A supplement to an act entitled, an act for opening and extending Aisquith street in the Eastern precincts of Baltimore.
13. A supplement to an act entitled, an act authorising James Sloan, Senior, of the city of Baltimore, as attorney for Doctor Joseph Mackrill, to execute a deed to Edward Harris, for the lands therein mentioned.
14. An act for the relief of Gerard Topken, an insolvent debtor, of the city of Baltimore.
15. An act to provide for the payment of the militia which has been called into actual service, and expenses incurred by reason thereof.
16. An act for the benefit and relief of William Harrison, of James, of Talbot county.
17. A supplement to the act entitled, an act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road leading to Cumberland, and for the extension of the charters of the several banks in this state, and for