

Mr. Hambleton delivers a bill, entitled, an act to perpetuate certain land records in Talbot county court; and Mr. Bradford a bill, entitled, an act to give validity and operation to a deed of conveyance therein mentioned. Which were severally read.

The report on the petition of John D. Jaquet, was read the second time, concurred in, and the resolution therein contained, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Mr. J. H. Thomas delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Frederick county, praying for a road from Shaffer's mill, to intersect a new cut road from Frederick town to Hughes's coaling ground. Which was read and referred to Messrs. J. H. Thomas, J. Thomas and Howard.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill, for the relief of Henry Howard, of Jno. of Montgomery county, was read the second time, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill, entitled, an act to change the place of holding the election in the third election district, in Caroline county, endorsed, "will not pass."

The bill, entitled, an act to revive and make valid the proceedings of the orphans' court of Saint Mary's county; and the bill, entitled, an act to incorporate the Baltimore Beneficial society, severally endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Also a bill, entitled, an act for the relief of Joshua Hicks and Ephraim Buckingham, of Baltimore county, and a bill, entitled, an act relating to Saint Paul's Lane, in the city of Baltimore, and for other purposes, severally passed by the senate, January 2d. Which were read.

Mr. Duval delivers a bill, entitled, an act for the benefit of Ann Holiday oak, of the city of Annapolis; and Mr. Griffith a bill, entitled, an act to change a part of the public road leading from Black Water river to the head of Hungar river, in Dorchester county. Which were severally read.

Mr. Stonestreet from the committee delivers the following report.

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Charles Garner, of Charles county, report, that they have taken the same into consideration and find the facts therein stated to be true, they therefore recommend the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby authorised and required to pay to Charles Garner, of Charles county, a corporal in captain Gray's company of militia, or to his order, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a corporal during his life, in consideration of his being disabled by a wound received while in actual service, agreeably to the provisions of an act passed at May session, 1813, entitled, an act providing for the calling out and detaching the militia of this state, and for other purposes.

By order,

LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Bradford from the committee delivers the following report:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Aquila Deaver of Harford county, late a soldier in the revolutionary war, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and when they reflect that the petitioner is now in very indigent circumstances and borne down by infirmities, consequent on the hardships of his military life, that he was compelled to dispose of the certificate in which he was paid at the end of the war, at a price which gave him nothing more than a nominal value, they are of opinion that the petitioner is justly entitled to half pay during life; they therefore recommend the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be; and he is hereby authorised and directed to pay to Aquila Deaver, of Harford county, late a soldier in the revolutionary war or to his order, in quarterly payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private soldier during his life, as a further remuneration for those services rendered his country during the American war.

By order,

JAMES C. BLAIR, Clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Hughlett delivers a petition from Wm Kelly, of Caroline county, praying that the Levy court may be authorised to levy a sum of money for his support. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Hughlett, Driver and Potter.

The bill for the relief of Walter Price was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill for the relief of Ann Holiday oak, was read the second time by special order, passed and sent to the senate. Also the following message:

BY THE SENATE, January 2, 1815.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

The senate propose with the concurrence of your house to proceed to-morrow at 12 o'clock to the election of bank directors.

By order,

THO. ROGERS, Clk.

The bill, entitled, an act to lay out and make public a road therein mentioned, in Cecil county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill, entitled, an act to reinstate in the county court of Alleghany county, the proceedings of a case therein mentioned, was read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill, entitled, an act for incorporating the Brookville academy, in Montgomery county, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. The bill, entitled, an act supplementary to the act, entitled, an act to establish a bank and incorporate a company, under the title of the Bank of Somerset, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments," which amendments were read.

On motion by Mr. Potter, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, an additional supplement to an act to incorporate a company to build a bridge over Great Chop tank, at or near Dover ferry. Ordered that Messrs. Potter, Hambleton, A. Hands, M'Donald, and Lecompte, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.