

day of August next.

On motion by Mr. Van Horne, the following resolution was read and assented to.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Tobias E. Stansbury, or order, the sum of forty dollars, being the amount of a balance due him for his attendance as a member of the house of delegates, at December session 1813, and omitted to be allowed him on the journal of accounts of that session.

The house adjourns until to-morrow morning nine o'clock.

SATURDAY, January 28.

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

On motion by Mr. Duvall, the committee on the petition of Jehu Chandler was enlarged by the addition of Messrs. Kell and Worthington.

The bill for the benefit of Alexander Harson. The bill to authorise the lotteries therein mentioned. The bill for the relief of Parker Bowen. The bill to open a road in Cecil county. The bill supplementary to the act for opening and extending Aisquith street. The bill for the payment of the journal of accounts. The journal of accounts and the resolution in favor of Tobias E. Stansbury, were sent to the senate.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill entitled, an act to provide for the better defence of the state, and prevent the necessity of frequent calls of the militia, were read the second time, and the question was put, that the house assent to the first amendment, viz. "strike out the following words in the first section, viz. "expressed in writing under his or her hand first had and obtained." Determined in the negative.

The second amendment was assented to.

The question was then put, that the house assent to the third amendment, viz. Strike out the following words: "and shall likewise make provision by law, authorising the time of service agreeably to the provisions of this act." Determined in the negative. The fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh, amendments were assented to.

The question was then put, that the house assent to the twelfth amendment, to wit. "Provided that no officer or officers shall be deemed necessary until men shall be enlisted sufficient for the command of such officer or officers, except so many as the said commander in chief shall deem necessary for the recruiting service?" Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, that the house assent to the thirteenth amendment, viz. Strike out the following clause: "and be it enacted, that the governor and council be, and are hereby authorised and required, previous to the raising of the whole or any part of said troops, to obtain from the president of the United States assurances that two-fifths of the number raised shall be stationed on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, except in cases of emergency." The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE—Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Millard, Neale, Causin, Hood, Worthington, Hopkins, Gray, Blake, Turner, Jenkins, Warner, Stansbury, Harryman, Beall, Waring, Van Horn, Claude, Duvall, Burgess, Forwood, of Jb. Dallam, Berney, Kell, Tilghman, Schnebly, Gabby, Mason, Crabb, Riggs, M. Mahon.—31

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Blackstone, Boyer, B. Hands, Spence, Browne, Stonestreet, Randall, Caldwell, Hambleton, Seth, A. Hands, Bayly, Waller, Cottman, Long, Griffith, Beard, Mitchell, Hogg, Evans, Emory, Stevens, Handy, Williams, Quinton, J. Thomas, Howard, M. Donald, Jones, Kilgour, Lantz, Hilleary.—32

So it was determined in the negative.

The fourteenth and fifteenth amendments were assented to. The question was then put, that the house assent to the sixteenth amendment, viz.

"And be it enacted, that when, and as often as any person or persons shall be enlisted under the provisions of this act, the commander in chief of this state be, and he is hereby authorised and required to cause them to be sent to Baltimore, and placed under the proper officers for the purposes of being drilled and taught military discipline, and becoming qualified to discharge the duties required of them by this act. The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Randall, Warner, Stansbury, Harryman, Claude, Emory, Stevens, Forwood, of Jb. Barney.—9

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Speaker, Millard, Neale, Blackstone, Causin, Boyer, B. Hands, Spence, Browne, Hood, Worthington, Hopkins, Gray, Blake, Turner, Stonestreet, Jenkins, Caldwell, Hambleton, Seth, A. Hands, Bayly, Waller, Cottman, Griffith, Beard, Mitchell, Hogg, Evans, Beall, Waring, Van Horn, Duvall, Burgess, Handy, Williams, Quinton, J. Thomas, J. H. Thomas, Dallam, M. Donald, Kell, Tilghman, Schnebly, Gabby, Mason, Jones, Kilgour, Crabb, Riggs, Lantz, Hilleary, M. Mahon.—53

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Randall, the question was put, that the house re-consider the question on the thirteenth amendment. The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE—Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Millard, Neale, Causin, Hood, Worthington, Hopkins, Gray, Blake, Turner, Jenkins, Randall, Warner, Stansbury, Harryman, Beall, Waring, Van Horn, Claude, Duvall, Emory, Burgess, Wright, Stevens, Forwood, of Jb. Dallam, Barney, Kell, Tilghman, Schnebly, Gabby, Mason, Riggs.—33

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Blackstone, Boyer, B. Handy, Spence, Browne, Stonestreet, Caldwell, Hambleton, Seth, A. Hands, Bayly, Waller, Cottman, Long, Griffith, Beard, Mitchell, Hogg, Evans, Handy, Williams, Quinton, J. Thomas, Howard, J. H. Thomas, M. Donald, Jones, Kilgour, Crabb, Lantz, Hilleary, M. Mahon.—32

So it was resolved in the affirmative.