

iff of Kent county may be authorised to convey to him certain lands. Which was read, and referred to Messrs. B. Hands, Boyer and Spencer.

The clerk of the senate delivers the resolution authorizing the treasurer to subscribe for stock in the Union manufacturing company, and the resolution in favor of the examiner general, severally endorsed "assented to." The resolution for procuring and distributing the Laws and Votes and Proceedings in Saint Mary's, Charles and Montgomery counties; and the resolution for printing the act for staying executions, endorsed, "dissented from." The bill entitled, an act relating to the judges of the several courts of this state, endorsed, "will not pass." And the bill entitled, an act to continue in force the acts of assembly which would expire with the present session, passed by the senate January 28. Which was read. And the bill entitled, an act to provide for the safety of the public records, and for other purposes, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read.

Mr. Randall delivers a bill entitled, an act for the preservation of deer in North hundred or Gunpowder falls, in Baltimore county. Which was read.

The bill entitled, an act relating to confiscated British property, was read the second time and passed.

On motion by Mr. Crabb, Leave given to bring in a bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to provide for the better defence of the state, and prevent the necessity of frequent calls of the militia. Ordered, that Messrs. Crabb, Van Horn and Beall, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill entitled, an act to incorporate Frederick town in Frederick county, were read the second time, the second, sixth, eighth and tenth amendments assented to, and the residue thereof dissented from, and on motion by J. H. Thomas, the following message was read and agreed to:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 28, 1815.

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*

We have assented to the second, sixth, eighth and tenth amendments proposed by your honorable body to the bill entitled, an act to incorporate Frederick town in Frederick county; as they do not materially affect the plan of incorporation contained in the said bill; the other amendments we have disagreed to, and considering that the bill has been the deliberate result of several town meetings held after public notice in Frederick town, in which the principal interests of said town appear to have concurred without distinction of party, and considering also that it has been recommended to the Legislature by the petition transmitted from your house, signed by a great number of citizens, of whom one hundred and twenty-six are certified by the collector of Frederick county to be free-holders of the said town, and the residue-taxable inhabitants thereof, we earnestly hope that on re-consideration, the senate may be induced to recede from such of the amendments proposed by them as this house have not felt themselves at liberty to agree to.

By order,

UPTON S. REID, Clk.

Mr. B. Hands a bill entitled, an act authorizing Richard Moffit, sheriff of Queen Ann's county, to convey to Matthew Tilghman, of Kent county, part of a tract of land therein mentioned. Which was read.

Mr. Mitchell from the committee delivers the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That the military accountant for the Eastern Shore of this state be, and he is hereby required to liquidate and allow to the company of militia of the state of Delaware, commanded by Captain George R. Massey, who marched into this state and were stationed at Elkton at the time of a threatened attack on that place by the enemy in 1813, such pay as they would have been entitled to if militia of this state called into its service; which allowance the treasurer of the Western Shore is hereby required to pay to the said George R. Massey, (and also the sum of one hundred and two dollars and seventy-five cents, expences incurred and paid by him for waggon hire and other charges attending said service. Which was read the first and second time by special order, and assented to.

The bill entitled, an act vesting in the orphans courts in the several counties of this state, certain powers relative to real property, was read the second time and passed.

The clerk of the senate delivers a memorial from Ninian Pinkney, clerk of the council, praying an increase of salary. Which was read and referred to the committee on the bill for the payment of the civil list. And the bill entitled, an act to authorise the lotteries therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were read.

Mr. Blackstone delivers a bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act providing for the calling out and detaching the militia of this state, and for other purposes. Which was read the first and second time by special order, and passed.

The house adjourns until Monday morning nine o'clock.

MONDAY, January 30, 1815.

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

The resolution in favor of George R. Massey and others. The bill relating to British confiscated property. The bill supplementary to the act entitled, an act providing for calling out and detaching the militia of this state, and for other purposes. The bill vesting certain powers with respect to real property in the orphans' courts, and the bill entitled, an act to incorporate Frederick town in Frederick county, with the message relating thereto, were sent to the senate.

The engrossed bills, Nos. 65 to 76 inclusive, and Nos. 84 to 93 inclusive, were read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Stevens delivers a petition from William F. Ridgaway, late sheriff of Queen Ann's county,