

from Frederick town through Creager's town and Emmitsburg to the Pennsylvania line. And the bill entitled, an act authorising Richard Moffit, sheriff of Queen Ann's county, to convey to Matthew Tilghman, of Kent county, part of a tract of land therein mentioned, severally endorsed, "will not pass," and the following message:

BY THE SENATE, February 4, 1815.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

We have rejected the bill entitled, an act authorising Richard Moffit, sheriff of Queen Ann's county, to convey to Matthew Tilghman, of Kent county, part of a tract of land therein mentioned, under an impression that the remedy prayed for by the petitioner is amply provided in the 4th section of the act entitled, an act relating to sheriffs, and for other purposes.

By order,

THOS. ROGERS, Clk.

Which was read.

Also the bill entitled, an act for the relief of Mary Johnson, of Charles county. And the bill entitled, an act authorising Alexander Johnson, late sheriff and collector of Charles county, to complete his collection, severally endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

The resolutions directing the clerks of the court of appeals to make an index to the extracts of deeds returned to their offices, were read the second time and dissented from.

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

*Resolved,* That his excellency the governor, be, and he is hereby requested to forward with all convenient dispatch, to the president of the United States, and to each of the senators and representatives in congress from this state, a copy of the act for the better defence of this state, and to prevent the frequent calls of the militia, passed at the present session of the Legislature.

On motion by Mr. J. Thomas, the following resolution was read, assented to, and sent to the senate:

*Resolved,* That the governor and council be, and they are hereby authorised to cause to be repaired the magazine or store house in Frederick county, and to draw their order upon the treasurer of the Western Shore for the amount of expense thereof, or to sell the same together with the lot of ground on which it stands, and cause the nett proceeds thereof to be paid into the treasury of the Western Shore.

The house adjourns until this evening at 5 o'clock.

POST MERIDIEM 5 o'clock.

At the call of the house, a quorum not appearing, the members present adjourned until tomorrow morning nine o'clock.

THURSDAY, February 2.

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

The clerk of the senate delivers the engrossed bills No. 94 to 108 inclusive, endorsed, "read and assented to."

Mr. Van Horn delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Prince George's county, in behalf of the children of Thomas Littleford, late of Prince George's county, deceased. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Van Horn, Beall and Waring.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill entitled, an act to make valid a power of attorney from Toussaint F. V. Caharel to David and William Winchester, endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. And the following resolution:

BY THE SENATE, January 27, 1815.

*Resolved,* That the governor be, and he hereby is authorised and empowered whenever he may deem it necessary for their security, to cause to be removed under the superintendance of the respective public officers, all the records, books and papers belonging to the several public offices in the city of Annapolis, to some place of safety within this state, and when in the opinion of the governor it can be done with safety, he hereby is authorised and requested to cause the said records, books and papers so removed, to be returned to the city of Annapolis.

By order,

THOMAS ROGERS, Clk.

Mr. Van Horn delivers a bill entitled, an act for the relief of the children of Thomas Littleford, late of Prince George's county, deceased. Which was read the first and second time by special order, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Crabb from the committee to whom were referred the resolutions from the senate dissenting from the amendment proposed to the constitution of the United States limiting the time of service of senators of the United States to four years, delivers the resolutions with certain amendments, which were assented to by the house, and with the resolutions sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill entitled, a further additional supplement to an act entitled, an act to regulate and discipline the militia of this state, endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendments. Which amendments were read, the first, third, fourth and sixth dissented from and the second and fifth assented to.

The engrossed bills Nos. 113 to 124, and the engrossed bill No. 126, were read, assented to and sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the engrossed bill No. 125, endorsed, "read and assented to."— Which was read, assented to and sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the resolution relating to the magazine in Frederick county.— The resolution in favor of John Bennett. The resolution for forwarding to the members of congress from this state copies of the act for the defence of the state. The resolution authorising a loan, and the resolutions making an appropriation for raising troops, severally endorsed, "assented to."