

amount of fees that he may receive in the present year, and that the treasurer of the same shall hereafter pay to him or his order, such sum in addition to said fees as shall amount to eight hundred dollars for the present year.

By order,

UPTON S. REID, Clk.

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill entitled, an act to change the place of holding the election in the fourth election district in Alleghany county, passed by that house January 3, 1815; and the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 3, 1815.

Gentlemen of the senate,

We propose with the concurrence of your house to proceed on Thursday the fifth instant at twelve o'clock, to an election of two directors, on the part of the state, for the Union bank of Maryland; two for the Mechanics' bank of Baltimore; one for the Commercial and Farmers' bank of Baltimore; two for the Farmers' bank of Maryland, at Annapolis; two for the branch of the said bank, at Easton; two for the Hagers town bank, and one for the Elkton bank of Maryland.

By order,

UPTON S. REID, Clk.

Which were severally read the first time and the bill ordered to lie on the table.

Also returns the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Franklin manufacturing company of Maryland, passed by that house January 3, 1815. Ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. N. Williams from the committee to whom was committed the several bills in favor of sheriffs and collectors, delivers a bill entitled, an act for the benefit of sheriffs and collectors. Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. N. Williams presented a petition from Henry Payson, and others of the city of Baltimore, proprietors of an establishment for the manufacturing of gun powder, praying an act of incorporation. Also a petition from Nathen Levering, and others of the city of Baltimore, proprietors of an establishment for the manufacturing of cotton yarn, praying an act of incorporation. Which were severally read and referred to Messrs. N. Williams, L. Hollingsworth and Hawkins, to consider and report thereon.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill entitled, an act to alter and repeal such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state, as relate to the division of Alleghany county into election districts, passed by that house January 3, 1815; and the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 3, 1815.

Resolved, That the loan heretofore made by this state to the trustees of St. Peter's free school in the city of Baltimore, be, and the same is hereby continued for two years, from the time the same became due.

By order,

UPTON S. REID, Clk.

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

WEDNESDAY, January 4.

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

Mr. Brown and Mr. Frazier appeared in the senate.

The bill entitled, an act relating to the poor of Caroline county, was read the second time, passed and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill entitled, an act for the relief of Isabel Watkins, of Caroline county. And the bill entitled, an act for the relief of Cain Cewell, of Caroline county, were severally read the second time and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The resolution in favor of John N. Watkins was read the second time, assented to and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion, Resolved, that the senate proceed immediately to the election of a member to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Edward Lloyd.

The senate having previously qualified agreeably to the constitution and form of government, proceeded to said election, and the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, on examination thereof it appeared that James Nabb had a majority of votes. Whereupon it is declared in the senate that James Nabb is duly elected a senator of Maryland.

Mr. N. Williams from the committee, delivers a bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Bellona gun powder company of Maryland. Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates returns a bill entitled, an act in addition to an act entitled, an act for amending and reducing into system the laws and regulations concerning last wills and testaments, the duties of executors, administrators and guardians, and the rights of orphans, and other representatives of deceased persons, endorsed, "by the house of delegates, January 3, 1815; read the second time and will not pass."

Also returns the bill entitled, an act relating to Saint Pauls' lane in the city of Baltimore, and for other purposes, passed by that house January 4, 1815. Ordered to be engrossed.

Also delivers a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Philip German, jr. of the city of Baltimore. A bill entitled, an act to confirm the title of Jeffery Farrall, of the city of Baltimore, in and to a certain lot of ground in the city of Baltimore. A bill entitled, an act for the relief of John M. A. Zollickoffer, of the city of Baltimore. A bill entitled, an act to give validity and operation to a deed of conveyance therein mentioned. And a bill entitled, an act to lay out and open a road in Frederick county, severally passed by that house January 4, 1815. Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill entitled, an act to incorporate a company for the improvement of the navigation of the river Susquehanna, was read the second time and the question put, shall this bill pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow: