

Dawson. The resolution in favor of Zadock Harvey. The resolution in favor of Samuel Prazier; and the message requesting a re-consideration of the bill to pay the civil list and other expenses of civil government for the years eighteen hundred and fifteen, together with the said bill were sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Calvert the following order was read and adopted :

Ordered, That the committee of claims close the journal of accounts, including Monday next.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the bill from the senate entitled, an act relative to the administration of justice. On motion by Mr. Lecompte the question was put, that the following be inserted at the end of the bill :

" And be it enacted, that the equitable estates or equitable interests in lands, tenements or hereditaments, shall be liable to and bound by judgments in the same manner as the simple estates now are, except that they shall not be liable to be seized and sold under writs of fieri facias.

And be it enacted, that the act entitled, an act to subject equitable estates in lands, to sale under writs of fieri facias, passed at November session 1810, be, and the same is hereby repealed." Determined in the negative.

The bill from the senate entitled, an act relative to the administration of justice, was read the second time and the question put, shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative and the bill returned to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act to incorporate the trustees of the Bladensburg Academy, and for other purposes, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, Leave given to bring in a bill entitled, an act to continue in force the acts of assembly which would expire with the present session. *Ordered*, that Messrs Bowles, Lecompte and E. K. Wilson, prepare and bring in the same.

The bill entitled, an act to authorise and empower the Levy court of Anne Arundel county to assess and levy a sum of money for the persons therein mentioned, was read the second time, amended, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Dickinson delivers a petition from Joseph Darden, late collector of Talbot county, praying further time to complete his collections. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Dickinson, Lloyd and Harrison.

Mr. Duvall from the committee delivers the following report :

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Basil Lucas, an old revolutionary soldier, have had the subject under consideration and find that the petitioner served as a sergeant three years, and was regularly discharged as such, they therefore recommend the following resolution :

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby directed to pay to Basil Lucas an old revolutionary soldier, or to his order annually, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a sergeant.

By order

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, concurred in, the resolution therein contained assented to and sent to the senate.

The report on the petition of Ann Wright of Queen Ann's county, was read the second time and the question put, that the house concur therewith and assent to the resolution therein contained? Determined in the negative.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the report in favor of Major General James Wilkinson. On motion by Mr. E. K. Wilson the question was put, to strike out from the word "same," to the word "and" in the report? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Beall the latter part of the resolution from the word "Wilkinson" to the end thereof was stricken out, and the following inserted in lieu thereof, "yearly in quarterly payments during life, the half pay of a colonel of dragoons, as remuneration for services rendered his country in the revolutionary struggle for liberty"

The report being read throughout as amended, the question was put that the house concur therewith and assent to the resolution therein contained? Resolved in the affirmative and sent to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Baltimore Exchange company, was read the second time, amended, passed and sent to the senate.

The report in favor of the heirs of General John Hopkins Stone, was read the second time and the question put, that the house concur therewith, and assent to the resolution therein contained? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Bradford the question was put, that the house reconsider the report in favor of the trustees of Harford county Academy? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Bradford the question was put, that the blank in the resolution be filled up with "seven hundred dollars?" The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE—Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Sellman, T. H. Dorsey, C. Stuart, Stansbury, Dickinson, Lloyd, Dennis, Duvall, Harrison, Roberts, Sewell, Bradford, Hall, Forwood, Hardcastle, Syll, W. Stuart, Hughes, Schnebly, Bowles, E. G. Williams—22

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Scott, Neale, Gay, Graham Reynolds, Stonestreet, Stodder, Bayly, Hart, Griffith, Lecompte, Davidson, Evans, Somerville, Van Horn, E. K. Wilson, Quinton, J. Mitchell, Thomas, Willis, Jones, Riggs, Kilgour, M. Mahon, Hilleary, Tomlinson, Prather—27

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Bradford the question was then put, to fill up said blank with five hundred dollars? Resolved in the affirmative.

The report being read throughout, the question was put, that the house concur therewith and assent to the resolution therein contained? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE—Mr. Speaker, Scott, Causin, Sellman, T. H. Dorsey, C. Stuart, Stansbury, Dickinson, Lloyd, Dennis, Hart, Griffith, Lecompte, Somerville, Calvert, Duval, Harrison, Roberts, Sewell, Bradford, Hall, Forwood, Denny, Hardcastle, Syll, W. Stuart, Hughes, Kershner, Schnebly, Bowles, E. G. Williams, Jones, Kilgour, Tomlinson, Prather—36

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Graham, Reynolds, Stonestreet, Stodder, Bayly, Van Horn, E. K. Wilson, Quinton, J. Mitchell, Thomas, Willis, Riggs, M. Mahon, Hilleary—14