

On motion by Mr. Beall, the question was put that the blank relative to the clerk of the council be filled up with one thousand dollars? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Duvall, the question was put, that the house reconsider that part of the bill fixing the salary of the clerk of the council? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, the question was put that "one thousand" be stricken out for the purpose of inserting "eight hundred" as the salary to the clerk of the council? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, the blank relative to the clerk of the senate was filled up with "one hundred and fifty dollars."

On motion by Mr. Bowles, the blank relative to the clerk of the house of delegates was filled up with "three hundred dollars."

On motion by Mr. Bowles the question was put, that the blank relative to the printer of the state be filled up with "twelve hundred dollars?" Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Bowles, the blank relative to the messenger of the council was filled up with "two hundred and fifty dollars."

The bill being read throughout the question was put, shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative and the bill sent to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act relating to conveyances by non residents, was read the second time and on motion by Mr. LeCompte, the question was put, that the said bill be referred to the consideration of the next General Assembly? Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill entitled, a further additional supplement to an act entitled, an act to direct descents, was read the second time and the question put, shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative and the bill sent to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act annulling the marriage of George Little and Mary his wife, was read the second time and on motion by Mr. Stoddert, the question was put, that the further consideration thereof be postponed until the 4th day of July next? Determined in the negative. The question was then put, shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

**AFFIRMATIVE**—Messrs. Causin, Spencer, Boyer, C. Steuart, Randall, Little, Stansbury, Harryman, Dickinson, Lloyd, Bayly, Hart, Somerville, Calvert, Van Horn, Claude, Meconniken, Harrison, Roberts, Stevens, Bradford, Forwood, Denny, Hardcastle, Willis, Styll, W. Steuart, Hughes, Kershner, Schuebly, Bowles, E. G. Williams.—33

**NEGATIVE**—Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Neale, Graham, Ireland, Reynolds, Stonestreet, Stoddert, Dennis, Griffith, Beard, A. D. Mitchell, Evans, Beall, Duvall, Quinton, J. Mitchell, Taney, Thomas, Howard, Johnson, Hall, Jones, Riggs, Crabb, Kilgour, M'Mahon, Hilleary, Tomlinson, Prather.—29

So it was resolved in the affirmative and the bill sent to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act to revive and continue an act entitled, an act for the relief of Henry Howard, (of John,) of Montgomery county, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

The bill entitled, an act annulling the marriage of James W. Elliot and Eleanor Elliot, was read the second time and the question put, shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

**AFFIRMATIVE**.—Messrs. Scott, Causin, C. Steuart, Little, Bayly, Van Horn, Claude, Forwood, W. Steuart, Schuebly, Bowles.—11

**NEGATIVE**—Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Neale, Spencer, Boyer, Sellman, Graham, Ireland, Reynolds, Stonestreet, Stoddert, Dickinson, Griffith, Beard, A. D. Mitchell, Davidson, Evans, Beall, Calvert, Duvall, E. K. Wilson, J. Mitchell, Taney, Bradford, Hall, Hardcastle, Willis, Styll, Jones, Riggs, Kilgour, M'Mahon, Hilleary, Prather.—33

So it was determined in the negative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill entitled, a further supplement to the act entitled, an act respecting the equity jurisdiction of the county courts. The bill for the relief of William Welch, of Talbot county, an insolvent debtor; and the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Baltimore Exchange Company, severally endorsed, "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. The bill entitled, an act to incorporate a company to make the several turnpike roads therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments." Which amendments were read. The bill entitled, an act extending the benefit of the insolvent laws to certain petitioners therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments." Which amendments were read the first and second time by special order, the first assented to and the second dissented from. The bill for the relief of Middleton B. Magruder, of the city of Baltimore. The bill annulling the marriage of John Thompson and Mary Thompson, of Washington county. The bill for the relief of Levin Jones, of Baltimore city; and the bill to authorise the clerk of Baltimore county court to record a deed from Peter Gerard to Daniel Ruff, severally endorsed, "will not pass." The resolution in favor of James Wilkinson, endorsed, assented to; and a bill entitled, an act to authorise and empower the justices of the levy court of Caroline county, to discontinue the road therein mentioned, endorsed, passed by the senate January 26, 1816. Which was read. And the engrossed bills No. 92, 93, 94, 95, 147, 148, endorsed, read and assented to. Which were read assented to and returned to the senate.

Mr. Little delivers a bill entitled, an act to authorise a lottery for the purposes therein mentioned, in the city of Baltimore. Which was read.

Mr. Stansbury delivers a petition from Emanuel Ebbs, a revolutionary soldier, praying compensation for his services, on which petition Mr. Stansbury submits the following resolution:

**BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 26, 1816.**

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby directed to pay to Emanuel Ebbs, late a private in the revolutionary war, or to his order annually in quarterly payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private, as a further remuneration to him for those services by which his country has been so essentially benefited.

By order,

LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, assented to and sent to the senate.

Mr. Lloyd from the committee delivers the following report: