

diency of its provisions, entitle it. By order, THOMAS ROGERS, Clk.
The bill entitled, an act for the benefit of William P. Peterson, of Harford county, was read the second time, passed with an amendment and sent to the house delegates by the clerk.

The bill entitled, an act to condemn a lot in the city of Baltimore for a street, was read the second time by special order, passed and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The senate proceeded to the election of a senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States, the ballot box being prepared, the ballots were deposited therein, sealed up and delivered to the committee of the senate appointed to meet the committee of the house of delegates, who retired to the conference room and after some time returned and reported, that Robert Goodloe Harper had forty-five votes and John Thompson Mason, forty four votes. Whereupon it is declared in the senate that Robert Goodloe Harper, having had a majority of the votes of all the attending members of both branches of the legislature, is duly elected senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States.

The clerk of the house of delegates returns the engrossed bills Nos. 149, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, severally assented to by that house January 27, 1816.

The bill entitled, an act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials in erecting any house or other building within the city and precincts of Baltimore, was read the second time and will not pass; sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the journal of accounts, assented to by that house January 27, 1816. A bill entitled, an act for the payment of the journal of accounts, passed by that house January 27, 1816, and the following messages:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 27, 1816.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

The office of register of wills for Cecil county being vacant in consequence of the resignation of William Alexander, late register of that county, we propose with the concurrence of your house to proceed immediately to the election of a register for said county. Mr. Henry D. Miller is put in nomination by this house, and we have appointed Messrs. Davidson and Forwood to join such gentlemen as may be named by you to count the ballots and report the result. At the same time we propose to go into the election of a register of wills for Queen Ann's county. Thomas C. Earle is put in nomination by us. The same gentlemen are appointed by us to count the ballots and report thereon.

By order, LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 27, 1816.

Gentlemen of the senate,

We propose with the concurrence of your house to proceed to the election of bank directors for the state. Messrs. Richard K. Heath and Washington Hall, are put in nomination for the Union Bank of Maryland. For the Commercial and Farmers' Bank, Edward Harris and George Keyser. For the Mechanics' Bank, Christopher Raborg, George Taylor and Abraham Sellers. For the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, Thomas H. Bowie and Daniel Murray. For the Branch Bank at Easton, James Price and Tench Tilghman. For the Hager's Town Bank, Joseph McIlheany, John Harry, George C. Smoot and Samuel Hughes. For the Elkton Bank, William Alexander, are put in nomination by this house. We have appointed Messrs. Stoddert and Meconniken to join the gentlemen named on the part of your house to count the ballots and report the result.

By order, LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.

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

The senate adjourns until to morrow morning 10 o'clock.

SUNDAY, January 28.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Messrs. Brown, Frazier, Holbrook, Johnson and Stephen. (The proceedings of yesterday were read.)

The bill entitled, an act authorising the sale of the real and personal estate therein mentioned, was read the second time by special order and will pass.

The bill entitled, a further additional supplement to an act entitled, an act to direct descents, was read the second time and passed with sundry amendments.

The bill entitled, an act authorising the Levy court of Calvert county, to borrow a certain sum of money from the banks of this state, was read the second time by special order and will pass.

The resolution in favor of Gassaway Watkins, was read the second time by special order and assented to.

The bill entitled, an act to confirm and make valid the proceedings of the orphans' court of Frederick county, was read the second time and will pass.

The bill entitled, an act relating to the collectors of the county taxes in Alleghany county, was read the second time and will not pass.

The bill entitled, an act to pay the civil list and other expenses of civil government for the year eighteen hundred and fifteen, was read the second time by special order and will pass.

The bill entitled, an act to settle and ascertain the salary of the members of the council for the ensuing year, was read the second time and will pass.

The bill entitled, an act for the relief of William S. Gaither, of Alleghany county, was read the second time and will pass.

The bill entitled, an act to pay the civil list, and other expenses of civil government, for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen; and the bill entitled, a further supplement to an act entitled, an act for extending Green street in the city of Baltimore, were severally read the second time and will pass.

The resolution in favor of Basil Lucas, was read the second time and assented to.

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 by special order and will pass.

The resolution in favor of John Sullivan, and the resolution relative to the government house, were severally read the second time and assented to.

The bill entitled, an act to make valid the deed therein mentioned, was read the second time and