

BY THE SENATE, February 2, 1818.

Resolved, That the senators and representatives from this state, in the congress of the United States, be requested to use their exertions towards effecting a liquidation and settlement with the general government, of the claim made by this state for expences incurred in providing for the common defence during the late war.

Resolved, That his excellency the governor be requested to forward to our senators and representatives in congress a copy of the preceding resolution.

By order,

R. HARWOOD, Clk.

The bill, entitled, An act authorising Jane Blake of Kent county, an alien, to hold real property, was read the second, and by special order the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion of Mr. Jackson, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the name of The Bank of Dorchester. Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson, Maxcy and Calvert, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Jackson reported said bill; which was read the first, second and third time, by special order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to regulate the manner of obtaining and altering public roads in this state, was read the second, and by special order the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

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Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have appointed Messrs. Maxcy and Gale a committee on the part of the senate, to unite with the gentlemen named in your message of the nineteenth ult. in an examination of the public buildings, and reporting what sum of money will be sufficient to put them in a proper state of repair.

By order

R. HARWOOD, Clk.

The bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of Sarah Ellis, and her children, of the city of Baltimore, was read the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act supplementary to the act, entitled, An act relating to insolvent debtors in the city and county of Baltimore, was read the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Mr. Taney from the committee reported a bill, entitled, An act to establish an Academy at Liberty-town, in Frederick county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following bills: A bill, entitled, An act relating to the public road in Worcester county; a bill, entitled, An act to regulate lotteries; a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Rezin Wilcoxon of Montgomery county; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Taney, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the several acts respecting insolvent debtors. Ordered, That Messrs. Taney, Hollyday and Emerson, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same; also to bring in a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act directing the manner of suing out attachments in this province, and limiting the extent of them.

Ordered, That Messrs. Taney, Maxcy and Jackson, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Ordered, That the president and visitors of the Maryland Hospital, report to the next general assembly, the actual situation of the Maryland Hospital, in which shall be detailed the size, nature and objects, the several houses, and other improvements belonging to the establishment; the number, names, and previous residence of all the persons who have been admitted as patient of the institution during the years 1815, 1816 and 1817, and the prices respectively paid by them weekly, monthly, or otherwise, for their reception and remaining in the hospital; that they also state the annual products of the gardens and cultivated grounds attached to the hospital, and in general all the sources of revenue attached to the institution and the product thereof; and that they report in detail the application of the monies granted to the institution by the act of December session 1811, and of the proceeds of the lottery authorised and drawn for the benefit of the institution; and further, also that they report particularly what sums of money have been received by Doctors Colin Mackenzie and James Smyth, under a resolution of the last session, authorising them to borrow a sum of money therein mentioned, and how, and in what manner the same has been applied, and from whom borrowed; and that the said president and visitors of the Maryland Hospital accompany their report by statements made by the said Doctors Mackenzie and Smyth.

Ordered, That Mr. Emerson be appointed one of the committee on pensioners in the place of Mr. Hughlett.

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

TUESDAY, February 3, 1818.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. The bill, entitled, An act to regulate the clerks fees in the chancery proceedings in the county courts and for other purposes, was ordered to be engrossed.

The bill, entitled, An act to prevent the several counties in this state from being operated with the charge of superannuated slaves, was read the second, and by special order the third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act for the extension of South-street in the city of Baltimore, was read the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion of Mr. Emerson, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to authorise the trustees of Calvert county for Charlotte Hall School to secede from the management thereof, and for other purposes. Ordered, That Messrs. Emerson, Hollyday and Maxcy, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Taney from the committee reported a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act directing the manner of suing out attachments in this province and limiting the extent of them, also a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the several acts respecting insolvent debtors; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.