

county, was, on motion of Mr. Gale, referred to a special committee. Ordered, That Messrs. Gale, Maxcy and Emerson, be the said committee.

The bill for the benefit of Elizabeth Howard, of Montgomery county, was read the second time, and on motion of Mr. Magruder, the question was put, Will the senate receive the following as an amendment to said bill? Amendment proposed, to wit: At the end of the bill add "or to affect the right of creditors." Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill was then read throughout the third time by special order, as amended, and the question put, Shall the bill as amended pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Mr. President, Messrs. Emerson, Gale, Harper, Hollyday, Howard, Hughlett, Jackson, Magruder and Maxcy—10.

NEGATIVE.

Mr. Carmichael—1.

Determined in the affirmative.

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to insolvent debtors in the city and county of Baltimore, was, on motion of Mr. Harper, referred to a special committee. Ordered, That Messrs. Harper, Gale and Maxcy, be the said committee.

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

FRIDAY, January 14, 1820.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Maxcy, who was indisposed. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill for the benefit of Elizabeth Howard of Montgomery county; the bill, to allow further time to the securities of Thomas Thompson, late collector of Dorchester county, to complete their collection; the bill to authorise the levy court of Anne-Arundel county to erect and establish a warehouse for the inspection of tobacco in the city of Annapolis; the supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate the contributors to the Baltimore General Dispensary, and the bill making valid a certain deed therein mentioned, were sent to the house of delegates.

The bill to authorise the recording a deed therein mentioned, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and will not pass.

The resolution in favour of Benjamin G. Jones, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and the question put, Will the senate assent to the same? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Emerson, Howard and Jackson—3.

NEGATIVE.

Mr. President, Messrs. Carmichael, Cresap, Gale, Harper, Hughlett and Magruder—7.

Determined in the negative.

The bill to erect a new bridge over Great Choptank river, in Caroline county, was read the second and third time by special order and will pass.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to erect a bridge over the Narrows at Kent Island, in Queen-Anne's county; a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the Skipton turnpike company; a bill, entitled, An act authorising a lottery for the benefit of the Rockville and Barn's Town Roman Catholic congregations in Montgomery county; and a bill, entitled, An act to increase the allowance of the sheriff of Queen-Anne's county for keeping prisoners in gaol and finding them victuals; which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

And returns the bill to make valid the title of Risdon Nicholson and Millicent Nicholson, of Kent county, to a certain lot of land therein mentioned, endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

Also returns the bill to encourage the destruction of crows in Anne-Arundel county, with the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 14, 1820.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We return you the bill, entitled, An act for the destruction of crows in Anne-Arundel county, and hope upon reconsideration you will agree to pass the same.

By order,

J. BREWER, Clk.

Which was read.

The bill relating to the confinement of persons convicted in the courts of the United States for the district of Maryland, in the penitentiary of this state, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and will pass.

The bill relating to the city court of Baltimore, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and will pass.

The supplement to the act directing descents, was, on motion of Mr. Harper, referred to the committee to whom leave was given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to amend and reduce into one system the laws to direct descents.

On motion of Mr. Harper, the question was put, Will the senate agree to reconsider the bill relating to the city court of Baltimore? Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill supplementary to the act, entitled, An act for the further compensation of jurors in Harford county, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and will not pass.

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

SATURDAY, January 15, 1820.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Hollyday, who was indisposed. The proceedings of yesterday were read.