

7 O'CLOCK, P. M.

The senate met. Present the same members as in the morning.

His excellency the governor attending in the senate chamber; Ordered, that Messrs. Johnson and Wooten wait on the House of Delegates, and inform them that the governor is attending in the senate chamber for the purpose of signing and sealing the laws, and request their attendance. The speaker, attended by the members of the House of Delegates, appeared in the senate, and the engrossed bills from No. 42 to No. 110, inclusive, were presented by the speaker to his excellency the governor, who signed and sealed the same in the presence of both houses. The speaker and members of the House of Delegates having retired, the senate adjourned until Monday morning 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, February 10, 1823.

The senate met. Present the same members as on Saturday, except Mr. Brownley. The Proceedings of Saturday were read.

The clerk of the house of delegates returned the bill for the relief of Robert Oliver, of the city of Baltimore, with the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, February 10, 1823,

*Gentlemen of the Senate*,—We would respectfully request a reconsideration of the bill, entitled, *An act for the relief of Robert Oliver*.

It appears by the will of William Knight, whose property became escheated to the state on his death, that it was his intention, that what property soever he might be possessed of, should go to the children of the said Robert Oliver. It has been stated to this house, that Mr. Knight, at the time of his death, owed to Mr. Oliver a debt greater in amount than the value of the property which became escheated. In presenting this view of the case, we would express the hope that all objections to the passage of the bill may be removed.

Which was read.

By order,

J. BREWER, Clk.

Also a bill, entitled, *An act for the relief of Catharine Stimmel, wife of Daniel B. Stimmel, of Frederick county*; which was read the first time and laid on the table. Also a bill, entitled, *An act to revive and keep in force the act of assembly therein mentioned, and the several supplements thereto, and for other purposes*; which was read the first time and laid on the table.

The supplement to the act, entitled, *An act to carry into execution a resolve of the congress of the United States, respecting the safe keeping of persons committed under the authority of the United States, to goals of this state*, was read a third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates.

The bill for the relief of the securities of Thomas Bailey, former collector of the tax for Baltimore county and city, was read a second, and by special order a third time, passed, and returned to the house of delegates.

The report of the committee appointed to examine into the state of the files and records of the senate, was read a second, and by special order a third time and concurred in.

On motion by Mr. Johnson, Ordered, that the chief clerk of the senate arrange all the files and records of the senate in the way he may think best calculated to preserve them, and to make a reference to them easy.

Mr. Johnson from the committee to whom was referred the supplement to the act for the relief of the Cumberland Bank of Allegany, reported, that the committee had had the same under consideration, and were of opinion that it ought not to pass. Which report was concurred in. The bill was then read a third time, rejected, and returned to the house of delegates.

The bill for the relief of Catharine Stimmel, wife of Daniel B. Stimmel of Frederick county, was read a second time by special order and laid on the table.

The resolution in favour of the collectors of the tax was read a third time, assented to, and sent to the House of Delegates.

The bill for the relief of Catharine F. Barriere, of the city of Baltimore, was read a third time, rejected, and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Quinton from the committee to whom was referred the bill relating to a landing place on the north west branch of Nanticoke river reported, that the committee had had the same under consideration, and were of opinion that it ought to pass with the following amendments, viz.

1st. In the 5th line of the 3d page strike out the word "levied."

2d. In the sixth line same page transpose the words "collector" and "levied."

3d. In the first line of the 1st section, strike out the word "services."

4th. In the second line of the same section, after the word "appointed" insert "for their services."

5th. In the 3d line of same section, after the word "dollars" insert "each."

Which amendments were read and assented to, the bill was then read a third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

The further supplement to the act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road to lead from the cross roads near Richard Caton's lime kiln, in Baltimore county, nearly in the direction of Jones' Falls, to the city of Baltimore; was read a third time.

On motion, the question was put, will the senate receive the following as amendments?

1st. Between the 2nd and 3rd sections insert as an additional section the following, viz.

"And be it enacted, that before the said part of the said road, authorised to be altered by this law, shall be altered, the said company shall pay to the persons to whom they may be indebted on account of, or for making the said part of said road, the amount of their said respective claims."

2nd. At the end of the bill insert, as an additional section, the following: