

Mr. Miller from the committee to whom was referred the further supplement to an act empowering the levy court of Cecil county at their discretion to levy a sum of money to build a bridge over Octorara creek in said county, at or near Samuel Rowland's store, reported, that the committee had had the same under consideration, and were of opinion that it ought to pass, with the following amendment, viz. In the 2d section at the end thereof, strike out the words "above named" and insert the word "dollars." The bill was then read a second, and by special order a third time, amended as proposed, passed, and returned to the house of delegates.

On motion by Mr. Claude, Leave was given to bring in a bill to be entitled, An act to alter and amend the forty-first section of the constitution of this state, so far as it relates to Baltimore county; and it was ordered, That Messrs. Claude, Scott and Orrell, should be a committee to prepare and report the same.

Mr. Bowie presented the petition of Simon Frazer, of Prince-George's county, praying for an act of iraturalization; which was read and referred to Messrs. Bowie, Dickinson and Quinton.

Mr. Miller presented the annual report of the trustees of West Nottingham Academy; which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Bowie submitted the following resolution; which was read and assented to.

Resolved, That the governor and council be requested to inform the senate, as soon as their convenience will permit, whether they have obtained the information required by resolution 47, passed at the last session, concerning the purchase of a lot of ground in the city of Baltimore, and the erection thereon of a fire proof tobacco inspection warehouse.

By order,

W. KILTY, Clk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Dec 22d, 1824.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received your message, and agreeably to the proposition of your honourable body, will proceed on the 6th of January next, to the election of a register of wills for Baltimore county.

By order,

J. BREWER, Clk.

Mr. Claude from the committee reported a bill, entitled, An act to alter and amend the forty-first section of the constitution of this state, so far as it relates to Baltimore county; which was read the first time and laid on the table.

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

THURSDAY, December 23, 1824.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. Mr Chambers appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the establishment and regulation of the levy courts of the several counties in this state. The bill to ascertain and fix the salary of the clerk of the council of this state; and the bill to change the place of holding the elections in the second election district in Anne-Arundel county, were read a second time and laid on the table.

The senate adjourned until Monday the 3d January next.

MONDAY, January 3, 1825.

Appeared in the senate, Messrs. Claude, Dickinson, Orrell and Quinton, who adjourned until to morrow morning 10 o'clock.

TUESDAY, January 4, 1825.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday Messrs. Stuart, Prest. Bowie, Chambers, Kent and Miller, appeared in the senate

The proceedings of Thursday the 23d December 1824, and yesterday, inclusive, were read.

On motion, Ordered, That Messrs. Bowie, Miller, Kent, Thomas and Orrell, be a committee to contract, on the most reasonable terms, with some person to print the daily journal of the senate, and all other papers ordered to be printed by the senate

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message; which was read.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, December 22, 1824.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received your message of yesterday remonstrating against the contract entered into by a committee of this house, under its order for the printing of the journals, and the votes and proceedings of both branches of the legislature, and must acknowledge our extreme surprise at its purport. We had supposed, that the message heretofore sent to you, in reply to the proposition which you again renew in the message of yesterday, if received with that comity which ought ever to subsist between us, would have