

propriated, and placed at my disposal, by resolution No. 49, passed at December session, 1822.

I have the honor to be,

With the highest respect,

Your obedient servant.

Samuel Stevens.

The bill to widen Water street, in the city of Baltimore, between South and south Calvert streets, was read a third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

The bill to confirm an act for the relief of the Jews in Maryland, was read a third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

On motion by Mr. Scott, leave was given to bring in a bill to be entitled an act regulating writs of error, and granting appeals to the court of appeals. Ordered, that Messrs. Scott, Chambers and Bowie, be a committee to prepare and report the same.

The message and resolution relative to absconding slaves, submitted by Mr. Chambers, was read a third time, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution relative to the governor and council, was read a second and third time by special order, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates.

The senate adjourned until Monday morning 10 o'clock.

Monday, January 2nd, 1826.

The senate met. Present the same members as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

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

By the House of Delegates, Jan. 2d, 1826.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

This being the day appointed by the constitution for the election of governor, we propose, with the concurrence of your honorable body, to proceed to said election, at 12 o'clock. William Tyler, of Frederick county, and Joseph Kent, of Prince George's county, have been put in nomination by this house, and we have appointed Messrs. Barnes and Duvall to join such gentlemen as may be selected by your honorable body, to count the ballots and report thereon.

By order,

John Brewer, Clerk.

Also, a resolution relative to senators being eligible as governor, which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Mr. Quinton offered the following message, which was read, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates.

By the Senate, January 2d, 1826.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The senate concur in the proposal contained in your message of this morning to go into the election of governor at 12