

“will the senate amend the resolution by striking out the following words, “and to subscribe for three copies of the numbers of said work, which may be hereafter published, for the use of the executive, and of the senate and house of delegates.” Determined in the negative.

On motion, the question was then put, “will the senate give the said resolution a third reading by special order?”—Determined in the negative.

Also, a resolution in favour of Samuel Davis, of Baltimore county, which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Also, a resolution in favour of Thomas Elliot, of Baltimore city, which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Also, a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Margaret Johns Key, which was read the first time.

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

Saturday, January 27th, 1827.

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

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a bill entitled, an act to incorporate the methodist preachers aid society, of Baltimore, which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Johnson, Heath, and Marriott.

Also, a supplement to an act passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty three, entitled, an act to repeal an act passed at November session eighteen hundred and twelve, which was read the first time.

On motion the resolution extending the time for commissioners, trustees and other authorities, of the several literary institutions in this state, to make report, was ordered to lie on the table.

The report of the committee of the house of delegates to whom was referred the communication addressed by the honourable John Compton Weems, to the president of the senate and speaker of the house of delegates, relative to the establishment of a naval academy, with a resolution annexed thereto, was read a second time.

Mr. Heath, from the committee to whom was referred, the bill relative to the establishment of a light house on Point Concord at the mouth of the Susquehanna river, reported the same, with the following amendments, viz:—1st, After the preamble, insert the following as the first section. “Be it enacted by the general assembly of Maryland, That the commissioners of the town of Havre de Grace, in Harford county, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered, to sell to the United States, or its proper officer, a scite or scites, for a light