for Dorchester County, was referred to Messrs. Spence, Heath and Whitely.

The Senate adjourned until to-morrow morning, ten

## Tuesday, 15th January, 1828.

The Senate met. Present the same members as on yester-day. Mr Marriott, President of the Senate, appeared and resumed the chair. The proceedings of yesterday were read:

The President laid before the Senate a communication from the Hon. Thomas Davis, accepting of his appointment as one of the Executive Council, which was read and referred to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Heath presented the petition of John Williams of the Gity of Baltimore, a revolutionary soldier praying to be allow-partial pension, which was read and referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates.

Mr. Dennis, from the Committee on Invalid Deeds, made an unfavorable report upon the bill to give validity and operation to a deed therein mentioned. The said bill was then read a second and by special order a third time, rejected and returned to the House of Delegates.

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered a bilientitled, an act to fix and regulate the time of opening the Orphans Court of Dorchester County on the respective days of meeting of that court and for other purposes, which was read the first time

Also, a bill entitled, an act to authorize the erection of two gates on the road leading from St. Johns Creek, to the termination of William D. Traverse's land on Taylors Island, in Dorchester County, which was read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to authorize the recording of a deed from Samuel Cole, to Henry Miller, of Cecil County, which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on Invalid Deeds.

Also, a bill entitled, an act for the benefit of Joseph Richardson, clerk of Caroline County court, which was read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to confirm and make valid the names of George Washington Brown, and Edward Lewis Brown of Hartford county, which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Sewell, Rees, and Whiteley.