

bly thereon. It was then read the second time.

The president laid before the senate a petition from sundry citizens of this state relative to the re-organization of the militia; which was read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

On motion of Mr. Montgomery, the bill entitled, an act supplementary to an act entitled, an act for the relief of John Norris, and Caleb Pue, was taken up for consideration, and the following amendment proposed and assented to: In the title of the bill strike out the following words, "An act supplementary to an act entitled." The bill was then read the third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

On motion of Mr. Mayer, leave was given to bring in a bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act relating to actions of replevin. Ordered, that the committee on judicial proceedings prepare and report the same.

Mr. Mayer from the committee on judicial proceedings to which the leave had been granted, reported a bill entitled, an act relating to actions of replevin; which was read the first time.

Mr. Dennis from the committee on judicial proceedings, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to make valid and confirm the proceedings of Job Allen, as a justice of the peace for Somerset county, reported that the committee had had said bill under consideration, and were of opinion it ought to pass with the following amendments:

1. Strike out all the preamble of the bill after the word "unless," in the 5th line, and insert in lieu thereof the following words:—"Legislative enactments are made relating to said proceedings."

2. After the word "made" in the 4th line of the 1st section, insert the word "as;" which amendments were read and assented to, the bill was then read the second, and by special order the third time and passed.

The senate adjourned until Monday morning 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, January 16th, 1832.

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

The bill, entitled, an act to make valid and confirm the proceedings of Job Allen, as a Justice of the Peace for Somerset county, which was passed by the Senate on Sa-