

and form of government, the bill relating to constables fees of Talbot county, the bill to prevent nuisance in the neighbourhood of fisheries on the river Susquehanna and at the head of the Chesapeake bay, and the supplement to an act, entitled, An act to lay out and open a road in Caroline county, were read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The report in favour of John J. Jacob, was read the second time, the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Bland, the following message was read, agreed to, and with the bill therein mentioned, sent to the senate.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 19, 1810.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

THE bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the stockholders of the Commercial and Farmers-Bank of Baltimore, was read the second time in our house on the sixth day of the present month, and the last section but one was stricken out, by a mere mistake or oversight it was not cancelled as it ought to have been; and it now appears this bill has been read a second time and endorsed, "will pass," by your house, including the section which was so rejected by us and ought to have been cancelled. We therefore return the bill to you, and hope that you will reconsider it, and rectify the mistake in such manner as you may think proper.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

Mr. Brooke delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Lewis J. Dugas, an insolvent debtor; which was read.

Mr. Miers delivers a petition from Philemon C. Blake, late sheriff of Queen-Anne's county, praying a further time to complete his collection; which was read and referred to Mr. Miers, Mr. Burgess and Mr. Jump.

Mr. Bland delivers the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Mary Anne Hendrickson, of the city of Baltimore, praying a divorce, beg leave to report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petitioner ought not to be granted, and that the said petitioner therefore have leave to withdraw her petition. All which is submitted.

By order,

S. BRADFORD, clk.

Which was read the first and second time by especial order and concurred with.

Mr. Hebb delivers a petition from James A. Crane, of Saint-Mary's county, praying he may be authorised to convey certain lands sold by him under the will of Edward Able; which was read and referred to Mr. Hebb, Mr. Neale and Mr. Gardiner.

Mr. Belt delivers the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Sarah Easton and Dorothy Storer, daughters and legal representatives of colonel Robert Hanson Harrison, late of Charles county deceased, report that they have considered the same, and are satisfied from the documents, that the father of the petitioners was a colonel in the Maryland line of the revolutionary war; that he acted as aid-de-camp and secretary to the commander in chief, as is stated in the petition; and that it appears by the statement of the auditor, that there is still due and owing to the said Robert Hanson Harrison three years full pay as a colonel; therefore,

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby directed and empowered to pay Sarah Easton and Dorothy Storer, or order, three years full pay without interest, due their late father.

By order,

N. MARTIN, clk.

Which was read.

The bill for the benefit of Elizabeth Patterson, of Anne-Arundel county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill to authorise the justices of the orphans court of Harford county to grant licenses in a certain case therein mentioned, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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	Neale	Welch	Rogerson	Arnold Jones	Groome	T Williams	P Bayard	Gaither	
	Barber	Belt	M'Pherson	Bennett	Herbert	Quinton	Bland	Abram Jones	
	Hebb	Marriott	Randall	Frazier	Boyle	Swearingen	Martin	Hilleary	
	Gardiner	Warfield	M Brown	Stewart	Miers	Davis	Bowles	Perry	
	C Hall	Ireland	Bayly	Moffitt	Wilson	Willis	W Williams	J Bayard	
	Harris	T Blake	Jackson	Physick	Handy	Jump	Owen	A Browne	50
	Comegys	Dorsy							

So it was determined in the negative.

The house, according to the order of the day, proceeded to the second reading of the bill relative to the inspection of lumber, and the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow: