

praying the passage of an act to widen Monument street, in the city of Baltimore, and offering to cede to the public a quantity of land for that purpose; which was read and referred to Messrs. Nicholas, Hunt and Turner.

Also, a petition of Mary Hall and others, praying the passage of an act to enable the guardians of the infant heir of Mary P. Pleasants, to make a deed for their benefit; which was read and referred to Messrs. Nicholas, Moores and Waters; And,

A memorial of the Trustees of Bath Town in Virginia, relative to the sale of certain lottery tickets within this state; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Lee submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the clerk of this house be instructed to cause the members thereof, to be furnished during the session of the legislature, with such newspapers as they may respectively direct, not exceeding the price of one daily paper.

On motion by Mr. Ely, the question was put, that the words "for three months" be added to the end of said order.

Determined in the negative.

The question was then put on the original order; resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Merrick, the following resolution was read:

Resolved, That no person having been governor, is in the opinion of this house, eligible as governor, until the expiration of four years after he shall have been out of that office.

Mr. Merrick moved that the said order be laid on the table, and be made the order of the day for Thursday next, and the question being put thereon, it was determined in the negative.

The house adjourned until to-morrow morning ten o'clock.

#### WEDNESDAY, December 29th 1830.

The House met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of Monday and Tuesday were read. Richard Mackall and Joseph W. Reynolds, Esqr's, delegates returned for Calvert County, and Thomas Burchenal, a delegate returned for Caroline County;—appeared, qualified and took their seats.

Mr. Wright presents a petition from Levin Wall Hall, of Dorchester county, praying the passage of an act to alter and change his name, and that of his wife and infant daughter, to the name of Levin Hall Wall; which was read and referred to Messrs. Wright, Keene and Hicks.

Mr. Hunt presents a petition of Cornelia A. Howard, of the City of Baltimore, Guardian of John E. Howard, pray-