

entitled, An act directing the manner of issuing attachments in this province, and limiting the extent of them. Ordered, That Messrs. M·Elfresh, Steele, Harding, Richardson and Ely, report the same.

On motion by Mr. Turner, leave was given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to regulate the compensation of inspecting flour in this state; which was read and referred to the committee on inspections.

On motion by Mr. M·Elfresh, leave was given to bring in a bill to be entitled, A further supplement to the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, chapter 110. Ordered, That Messrs, M·Elfresh, Kemp, Turner, Nicholas and Hood, report the same.

The speaker laid before the house a report from the clerk of Calvert county court, relative to the number of copies of the votes and proceedings remaining in his office; which was read and referred to the committee on the library.

Mr. Teackle from the joint committee on the library, submitted the following resolution:

By the House of Delegates.

January 31st, 1831.

Resolved by the general assembly of Maryland, That his excellency the governor, be requested to cause to be bound up as many copies, not exceeding three of each, of all the pamphlet laws of the several states and territories of the United States as may be now in the state library; and in case at least one complete copy of the laws of any state or territory cannot be found, unless there be already that number, or a digest of such laws bound in the said library, to take proper measures to procure a complete copy thereof.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, and assented to.

The resolution offered by Mr. Teackle on the 29th inst. directing the executive to give notice by advertisement, that sealed proposals will be received by them, until the last Monday in December, for printing the deficient proceedings of the convention which formed the constitution of this state, and of the legislatures of the province and state of Maryland, and binding the same in leather, so as to complete the number required for the state library, &c. was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and rejected.

Mr. Dalrymple from the committee on claims, made an unfavourable report on the memorial of Mary S. Magee, of the city of Annapolis; which was read.