

Mr. Stewart, chairman of the committee on claims, made unfavourable reports on the petitions of Hannah Levering, of the city of Baltimore;

And Joseph Richardson, clerk of Caroline count ycourt;  
Which were severally read.

Mr. Rogerson, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made favourable reports on the petitions of Mary Easom, widow of Evans Willin, a soldier of the revolution;

And Lydia Brown and Ann Hill, of Saint Mary's county, legal representatives of Richard Hill, a soldier of the revolutionary war, accompanied with the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of Western Shore pay to Mary Easom, of Dorchester county, widow of Evans Willin, a revolutionary soldier, or to her order during her widowhood, in half yearly payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private, in consideration of the services rendered by her husband during said war.

By Order,

George A. Farquhar, Cl'k.

*Resolved*, That the register of the land office for the Western Shore, issue to Lydia Brown and Ann Hill, of St. Mary's county, legal representatives of Richard Hill, a soldier of the revolutionary war, a common warrant for fifty acres of vacant land lying in Allegany county, and issue a patent for the said quantity of acres of land, upon a certificate of the survey thereof duly returned, without requiring payment or proof of payment, or any composition money therefor.

By Order,

George A. Farquhar, Cl'k.

Which were read.

Mr. Brown; of Queen Anne's, from the committee on claims, made a favourable report on the petition of Thomas Ashcom, sheriff of Queen Anne's county, accompaied with the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to Thomas Ashcom, sheriff of Queen Anne's county, or order, the sum of twenty-five dollars and twenty-five cents, it being the amount erroneously paid by him into the treasury, under an act of assembly of December session 1827, chapter 117.

By Order,

Thomas W. Watkins, Cl'k.

Which was read the first and second time by special or-