

Stewart, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a divorce from his wife Eliza Stewart;

Which was read.

Mr. Orrell submitted the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to Jacob C. Wilson, of Caroline county, or order, the sum of nineteen dollars and twenty-five cents, for the accommodation of the militia ordered out by Col. Peter Willis, commander in chief of the 19th regiment of the militia of this state, in consequence of a report of an insurrection of the negroes:

Which was read.

The unfavourable reports of the committee on claims, on the petition of Hannah Levering, of the city of Baltimore;

And the petition of Joseph Richardson, clerk of Caroline county court, were severally taken up for consideration; read the second time and concurred in.

On motion by Mr. Brawner,

The resolution submitted by him on the 6th inst, providing for the payment of postage chargeable against the members of the legislature, was taken up for consideration; read the second time and assented to.

The favourable reports of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, to which was referred the petitions of Mary Eason, widow of Evans Willin, a soldier of the revolution;

And the petition of Lydia Brown and Ann Hill, of St. Mary's county, legal representatives of Richard Hill, a soldier of the revolution;

Were severally taken up for consideration; read the second time, the reports concurred in, and the resolutions therein contained, severally assented to.

On motion by Mr. Handy, (seconded by two other members who voted in the majority) the house re-considered their vote on the resolution providing for the payment of postage chargeable against the members of the legislature.

The said resolution was then read.

On motion by Mr. Handy,

Said resolution was amended, by adding at the end thereof the following proviso:

*“Provided*, in no case shall the postage upon any letter or paper going from Annapolis, be charged to the members of the legislature;”

The said resolution was then read the second time as amended, and assented to.