On motion by Mr. Teackle,

Ordered, That George Howard be, and he hereby is, elected a director on the part of the state, in the bank of Baltimore.

On motion by Mr. Brawner,

Ordered, That the committee on grievances and courts of justices, be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of Elizabeth Finfrock, of Frederick county and that the same be re-committed to the committee on divorces.

Mr. Stewart, chairman of the committee on claims, made favourable reports upon the orders of the house, directing them to inquire into the justice of the claims of William W. Higgins, of Talbot county, and Charles E. Tilden, of Kent county, accompanied with the following resolutions:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the western shore, be, and he is hereby directed, to pay to William W. Higgins or order, the sum of nine dollars and seventy two cents, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

By order.

Thos. W. Watkins, Clerk.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the Western Shore, be, and he is hereby directed, to pay to Charles E. Tilden, or order, the sum of seventy-five dollars and twenty-five cents, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury.

By order,

Thos. W. Watkins, Clk.

Which were severally read.

Mr. Teackle submitted the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the sum of eight hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, for the use of the state library, and that his excellency the governor, is hereby authorised, to draw upon the treasurer of the Western Shore, for the whole, or any part thereof, from time to time, in payment for such books as may be purchased, by order of the joint committee on that subject, when the same shall have been delivered and certified by the librarian.

Which was read.

Mr. Brawner, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, made a favourable report on the petition of Samuel Graham, of Anne Arundel county, accompanied with the following resolutions: