

The resolution in favor of Clement Sewall, was read a third time, dissented from and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution in favor of Michael House, was read a third time, assented to and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution in favor of Edward Shoebrook, was read a third time, dissented from, and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution in favor of Ann Speddon, was read a third time, dissented from and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolution in favor of Edward Hood, was read a third time, dissented from and sent to the house of delegates.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb. 23, 1822.

*Gentlemen of the Senate.*—We have concurred in the 2nd and 3rd amendments to the bill entitled, An act relating to justices of the peace in the city of Baltimore, but after the most mature deliberation, cannot adopt the first, which proposes to reduce the number of magistrates to thirty. We are influenced in this decision by the reflection that should thirty six as proposed by this house, be adopted by your honorable body, the operation of the law will still exclude many worthy and competent officers who have heretofore derived support for themselves and families by a faithful discharge of their duties.

By order, J. BREWER, Clk.

Which was read. Also returns the bill relating to justices of the peace in the city of Baltimore, endorsed, 'amendments read.' Also a resolution in favor of Saint Peter's school; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates. Also a resolution in favor of the Potomac company; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, amended, assented to and sent to the house of delegates. And returns the bill relating to crimes and punishments, endorsed, 'will pass.' Also the bill to repeal part of an act therein mentioned; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates. And returns the supplement to the act relating to insolvent debtors in the city and county of Baltimore; endorsed, 'will pass.' And delivers a bill relating to the paving of certain streets in the city of Baltimore; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates. Also a bill for the benefit of John Hill, of Montgomery county; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

The supplement to an act for licensing and regulating ordinary keepers, was read a third time, amended and will pass.

Mr Claude offered the following resolution: *Resolved unanimously.* That the thanks of the senate be presented to William R. Stuart, Esquire, in testimony of their approbation of the impartiality, attention and ability with which he has discharged the duties of President of the senate.

Which was read and assented to. By Order, WM. KILTY, Clk.

The clerk of the house of delegates returned the supplement to the act for the distribution of a certain fund for the purpose of establishing free schools in the several counties therein named, endorsed, 'will pass with the proposed amendments; which amendments were read and assented to. And delivered a resolution in favor of Thomas Karney; which was read the first, second and third time, and the question was put, Will the senate assent to the resolution? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

**AFFIRMATIVE.**—Messrs Stuart, (President,) Brownley, Claude, Dickinson, Johnson, McKim and Miller.—7

**NEGATIVE**—Messrs Cockey and Wootton.—2.—Determined in the affirmative, and it was returned to the house of delegates.

The bill authorising and empowering the levy court of Montgomery county, to assess and levy a sum of money for the benefit of and maintenance of the idiot son of John Grant and Verlinda Compton, was read a third time, amended, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

The clerk of the house of delegates returned the bill relating to the city of Baltimore, and to certain officers and elections therein mentioned, endorsed, 'will pass.' And delivered the bill for the relief of Samuel Simmonds, of the city of Baltimore; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a resolution rescinding a resolution in favor of Joshua Ruddle, which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, assented to and sent to the house of delegates. Also a bill entitled, A supplement to the act to provide a revenue for the support of the government of this state; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates. Also a bill entitled, An act taxing or licensing certain dealers in lottery tickets and others; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates. Also a bill entitled, An act relating to the removal of criminal causes from Baltimore city and county courts; which was read the first and by special order a second and third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates. Also a bill entitled, A supplement to the act entitled, An act laying duties on licenses to retailers of dry goods and for other purposes. Also the bill to repeal in part the act of 1820, chapter 97.

The following message was read, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates:

BY THE SENATE, Feb. 23, 1822.

*Gentlemen of the House Delegates*—The senate having completed the business, they propose with your concurrence to have the laws that have passed, signed and sealed immediately, and adjourn to the first Monday in October next.

By order, WM. KILTY, Clk.