

printing an index to the journal, and in unison thereto, send a resolution passed by the senate.

Resolved, that the joint committee appointed to contract for the printing of the session, be, and they are hereby instructed to contract for an index to the journal of each house.

By order,

Wm. Kilty, Clk.

Mr. Marriott and Mr. Rees appointed on the part of the senate, to wait on his excellency the governor and inform him of his re-election, reported to the senate that they had performed that duty, and that his excellency had signified to them his determination to appear in the senate on to-morrow at one o'clock, for the purpose of qualifying according to the constitution and form of government.

On motion, by Mr. Heath leave was given to bring in a bill, to be entitled "a further supplement to an act entitled, an act to provide for the administration of justice in cases of crimes and misdemeanors in the city and precincts of Baltimore. Ordered, that Messrs. Heath, Nelson, and Harrison, be a committee to prepare and report the same.

On motion, by Mr. Heath, leave was given to bring in a bill, to be entitled, "a supplement to the act entitled, an act relating to insolvent debtors. Ordered, that the committee on insolvent bills prepare and report the same.

The senate adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Tuesday, January 2d, 1827.

The Senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Marrott moved to expunge so much of the proceedings of yesterday as related to the vote given for Mr. Isaac M'Kim, as Governor; and the question was put "will the senate expunge the said proceedings? Determined in the negative.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message, which was read and laid on the table.

By the House of Delegates, January 1st, 1827.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We propose with your concurrence immediately to proceed to the election of a council to the governor. Joseph Gabby, John R. E. Chesley, Lewis Duvall, Otho Scott, William Hayward, jr. Arnold E. Jones, Daniel Martin, and James Parker, are put in nomination by this house, and we have appointed Messrs. Buchanan and Tidball, in conjunction with the gentlemen who may be named by you to count the ballots and report the result.

By order,

John Brewer, Clk.

Also, a bill entitled "an act for the relief of John Wheeler, of Dorchester county; which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on invalid deeds.