

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

And Mr. Forwood, presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore and Harford counties, praying for an act to erect a bridge across the little falls, that divide the two counties;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Forwood, Johns Ely, Holmes, and Jenkins.

On motion by Mr. Morsell,

Ordered, That the Committee on revolutionary pensions, enquire into the expediency of placing negro Jim, who was a drummer in the revolutionary war, upon the pension list.

On motion by Mr. Jenkins,

Ordered, That a committee of three be appointed by the chair, and instructed to examine the situation of the door of entrance to this house, and have such alterations and improvements made in and about the same as they may deem necessary.

In pursuance whereof, the Speaker appointed Messrs. Jenkins, Mudd, and Brewer, the committee.

Mr. Rogerson, Chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made an unfavourable report upon the order of the house to enquire into the expediency of allowing a pension to Levin Willin, of Somerset county;

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Rogerson, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made a favorable report upon the petition of Barnard Thomson, a soldier of the revolution, accompanied with the following resolution:

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Barnard Thomson of Washington county, in the State of Kentucky, a soldier of the Revolutionary war. or to his order, during life, in quarter yearly payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private, in consideration of the services rendered by him in said war.*

THOMAS ROGERSON, Chairman.

By order,

Robert Griffith, Cl'k.

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

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