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requisites to promote commiss happiness. Indeed
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HARRISBURG, PA. TUESDAY AFTERNOON, JANUARY 28, 1862.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations. Mr. COWAN, an act to re-audit certain ac-

Referred to the Committee of Judiciary, (lo

Also, an act to extend the provisions of

certain act of Assembly, relative to selecting sites for school-houses in Chester and Delaware

Referred to the Committee on Education.

transportation company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Also, an act to incorporate the Alleghany

Mr. CESSNA, an act to provide for the pay-

Referred to the Committee on Ways and

BILLS CONSIDERED ON MOTION

Mr. BROWN, (Mercer,) moved that the House

proceed to the condemnation of Senate bill No

14, an act authorizing Michael C. Trout to sell certain property of the Sharon Iron company.

The motion was agreed to, and the bill passed

Mr. ELLIOTT moved that the House ad-

act authorizing the Reading and Columbia railroad company to borrow money.

finally.

Nr. KENNEDY moved that the House pro-

The motion was agreed to and the bill passed

seed to the consideration of House bill No. 34.

Mr. COWAN moved to amend the bill so as

The bill then passed finally. Mr. SMITH (Chester,) moved that the House

proceed to the consideration of House bill. No.

35, an act to incorporate the American Engra-

Mr. WILDEY moved to amend the bill by

Mr. JOSEPHS moved that the further con-

sideration of the bill be postponed for the

YEAS -Messrs. Abbot, Bates, Boileau, Caldwell,

NAYS-Messrs. Brown, (Mercer,) Dennis, El-

finally.

Mr. CRANE moved that the House proceed to the consideration of House bill No. 30, a further supplement to the act to erect the vil lage of Honesdale, county of Wayne, into a

The motion was agreed to; and the bill passed

Mr. HAPPER moved that the House proceed

act relative to penalties on the Cumberland

The motion was agreed to; and the bill passed

Mr. ROSS (Luzerne,) moved that the House

proceed to the consideration of House bill No

21, an act to authorize the trustees of the pro-

purchase of a farm and poor-house for the said

township.
The motion was agreed to; and the bill passed

to the consideration of House bill No. 40, an act relative to the collector of school taxes in

The motion was agreed to; and the bill passed

finally.

Mr. SCOTT moved that the House proceed to

refund to Samuel J. Walker certain moneys er-

roneously paid by him for collateral inheritance

tax on the estate of Joseph T. Marshall.

The motion was agreed to; and the bill passed

finally.

Mr. PERSHING moved that the House pro

an act fixing the place of holding elections in Clearfield township, Cambria county.

The motion was agreed to; and the bill passed

finally.
Mr. BROWN, (Northumberland,) moved that

The motion was agreed to, and the bill passed

finally.

Mr. WINDLE moved that the House proceed

The motion was agreed to and the bill passed

ceed to the consideration of House bill, entitled

an act to allow the taxes on a certain island in

the Susquehanna river to be paid to the county

finally.
Mr. FREELAND moved that the House

viewers, in the city of Philadelphia.

On motion of Mr. COWAN, the House

mokin and Bear Valley Coal company."

inserting the name of John M. Butler, as on

to extend its provisions to Warren county.

was amended in accordance therewith.

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The motion was agreed to.

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Pennsylvania Legislature.

REPORTED EXPRESSLY FOR THE TELEGRAPH.

SENATE.

MONDAY, January 27, 1862. The Senate met at three o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Clerk, who read a note from the Speaker deputing the Senator from Washington, (George V. Lawrence,) to preside in his place during the day.

M. Tawrence took the Chair when Mr. LAWBENGE took the Chair, when The journal of Thursday was read.

PETITIONS PRESENTED.

Mr. STEIN presented a petition of citizens of Northampton county, praying for the passage of an act relative to landlords and tenauts.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Mr. HIESTAND presented a petition of citizens of Lancaster city, praying that the receiver of taxes of said city be elected by the

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Mr. LOWRY presented a petition of citizens of Summit, McKean, Millcreek and Washington townships, in Erie county, asking that the Erie and Edinboro' plank road company be not permitted to abandon a portion of their road, unless they abandon all of it.

Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges. Also, two petitions from citizens of Erie

Also, two petitions from cruzens of the county, complaining that the officers of the Bank of Commerce, at Erie, were guilty of fraud and perjury, that they have robbed the people of Crawford, Erie and Warren counties, and asking that a joint committee be appointed to investigate the charges.

Referred to the Committee on Banks.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. IRISH, chairman of the Committee on Estates and Escheats, reported, as committed, an act to authorize W. G. Freeman, administrator of the estate of William Coleman, deceased, late of Cornwall township, Lebanon county, to sell certain real estate. HOUSE AMENDMENTS,

To Senate bill, No. 4, entitled, "An Act relating to the lake and harbor defences of Pennsylvania," were concurred in. BILLS READ IN PLACE.

Mr. CONNELL read in place an act to provide for the more correct and faithful assessnent of real estate in the city of Philadelphia. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary Also, an act relative to prothonotaries in the ty of Philadelphia.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Mr. STEIN, an act relating to landlords and enants. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. BOUGHTER, an act for the settlement f the claim of Thomas Morley. Referred to the Committee on Claims. Mr. HIESTAND, a supplement to an ating to roads, highways and bridges.

Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.
Mr. KETCHAM, an act to incorporate the

Hyde Park Cemetery company.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. SERRILL, an act for the relief of Chas. ohnson, late Treasurer of Delaware county.

Referred to the Committee on Finance. MAJ. GEN. JOHN C. FREMONT. Mr. IRISH read in place, joint resolutions re-

ative to Major General John Charles Fremont. The resolutions were read, as follows:

Whereas, The policy of liberating the slaves of rebels, declared and adopted by Major General John C. Fremont when in command of the western department of the army, is the only policy compatible with success in crushing the rebellion and restoring the integrity of the Government:

And whereas, He was removed from command while at the head of his army, in the field and in the face of the enemy;

And whereas, A thorough and prolonged examination of his administration while in command,

has failed to sustain the reports and charges by which he was assailed, or to disclose any facts calculated to shake the confidence of the country in his prudence, courage and patriotism, therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representaves of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, That in the opinion of this Legislature, the exgencies of the public service require that Major General John Charles Fremont should be immediately restored to a command in the army. The preamble and resolution was committed

to the committee on Federal Relations. PRIVATE BILLS PASSED.

Mr. LAMBERTON called up Senate bill. No. Bl, entitled "a further supplement to an act to establish an asylum for the insane poor of this Commonwealth, approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five."

Passed finally.

Mr. CONNELL called up House bill, entitled 'An Act to incorporate an Athenæum associa-ion in Germantown, city of Philadelphia."

Passed finally.

Mr. CRAWFORD called up "an act for the relief of Dickinson College, in the borough of Carlisle, Cumberland county."

SUBJECTS OF TAXATION. Mr. LOWRY offered the following joint reso-

ution: WHEREAS, During the continuance of the diffi-culties which threaten our national existence, the enormous expenses consequent thereon must be borne mainly by the loyal part of the

Republic; Meduhereas, Justice and equity demand that the burdens of taxation, which now rest heavily on the farmer and the laborer, should be equally divided so as to press lightly on the people, yet ield much to the government; therefore,

Resolved. That the Finance committee are reuested when in conference with the board of Revenue commissioners to present for consideration and respectfully to urge the incorporation of the following suggestions in a tax bill to be recommended to the House of Represenatives for enactment, viz :

The repeal of all laws exempting property of any kind from taxation.

A tax on all kinds of tobacco.

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pression of the sale of ardent spirits, wines, or nalt liquor without license, and for the taxation NOTE PAPER, of six different designs, printed in two colors, sold by the thousand and by the ream at City Cash prices.

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An increase of hotel, mercantile and professional, and all other kinds of licenses.

A judicious system of revenue from stamped paper, acknowledging and recording of deeds, wills, written contracts and other legal docu-

ments, and upon oaths and affidavits taken or ship, Washington county, praying that certain administered by indicial or executive officers, lands be re-attached to the township of East clerks of courts, and commissioners, auditors or Bethlehem. arbitrators appointed by the authority of a state or court, and from an increase of fees for the issuing of every sort of civil writ or process.

A tax per capita upon every man in the Commonwealth. A tax on all incomes or salaries, civil or military, above a fixed medium of family wants, on a graduated scale, increasing with the income.

A tax on all money, hoarded or in the hands of creditors, co-partners or agents, and on circulating notes or certificates, whether on inte-culating notes or certificates, whether on interest or not. A tax on all bank notes, checks, bonds, cer-

tificates of deposit, mortgages, obligations, or any other evidence of indebtedness, whether under seal or not; on all stock in or of any corporation of this Commonwealth, at the cash value thereof, and whether the same pay dividends or not. On all stocks of any foreign corporation

owned and held by any citizens, or residents of this State, except stocks of the United States; and on all shares of any association, not incorporated; and on all foreign or domestic corporations, or municipal indebtedness, either by and Warren counties. bonds or other evidences, which may be due to, or owned by, or held in trust for or by any citi- and County Seats. zen, or resident, corporation or association of or in this State.

to corporations. An increased tax upon such charters as may hereafter be obtained or applied for under existing laws or laws hereafter enacted; and on

all insurance companies transacting business within this State, whether created by the laws of this or any other State in proportion to the amount of business done.

An increase of collateral inheritance tax. A specific tax on the track, lands, depots

rolling stock or other property of all railroad companies, whether created by the laws of this or any other State, and lying wholly or in part within this Commonwealth. On all vessels, ships, ferry, steam or canal boats, tugs or other water craft on any of the waters in or adjacent to Pennsylvania, or on any of its canals or slackwater; and on any interest which any resident of this State may have in any vessels or other craft of whatsoever description, whether in the waters of Pennsylvania or elsewhere and on any shares or other interest of any citizen or resident of this State in any steamboat Referred to the Committee on Ways and or other navigation company or association, incorporated or unincorporated, doing busines upon the waters of this State or elsewhere.

A tax on bills of lading, shipping bills, clearances and invoices. A tax on all manufacturers and manufactuand on all shares in any such corporation or association, and on all shares in any such corporation or association of association of this or any state which may be owned by, or held in trust by, or for any resident of this Commonwealth.

A tax on all coal banks, or mines, coul rail roads, and rolling stock of the same. A tax on all coal, or iron ore, mined or raised within this State, and on pig metal, blooms, railroad, bar, sheet or other iron, and on nails

railroad, par, sneet or other fron, and on hand manufactured in this State.

A tax on all mineral oil (so called) which may be raised or flowed, and secured within this State, and on salt manufactured in this

A tax on all oil, coal and mineral land to be levied on their mining in addition to their agricultural values or value from location or other A tax upon newspapers and telegraphic mes-

sages, and on Railroad tickets A tax on tickets of admission to theatres and laces of amusement, and a tax on circus hor
That, by the act of the seventh of March places of amusement, and a tax on circus horses and all animals and property owned in or coming into this State for exhibition. A tax on Dogs.

And that provisions be inserted in such bill authorizing assessors to administer oaths, and compelling each taxable to swear to, or affirm, the correctness of the list of his taxable property, furnished to the assessor, and that such list includes every article of taxable property wned by him, and a just and true valuation of the same, and making false swearing as to such returns punishable as perjury. Postponed for the present and ordered to be orinted.

ACCOUNTS OF S. D. BEOBST

Mr. KETCHAM read in place, a joint resolu tion to authorize the Auditor General to re open and re examine the account of Samuel D Brobst, former superintendent on the North

This bill was taken up, and after a lengthy debate was Referred to the Committee on Private Claim and Damages.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO COURTS.

Mr. KETCHAM called up Senate bill No 28, entitled "A Supplement to an act relative to Courts in this Commonwealth. After a lengthy debate the bill was postponed

The Senate then Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Monday, January 27, 1862.

The SPEAKER called the House to order at three o'clock, P. M.
Prayer by Rev. Mr. Moore, of the First Meth dist Episcopal church, Harrisburg.
The CLERK read the journal of Friday, which was approved.

SPEAKER'S TABLE. The SPEAKER laid before the House the report of the Auditor General and State Trea-

surer, relating to the claim of John Kelly, of Lawrence county.

Laid on the table. Also, the annual report of the Delaware and Hudson canal company.

Laid on the table. Also, a report from the annual report of the Pennsylvania institution for the instruction of

Laid on the table. LETTERS, PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, ETC. Mr. HAPPER presented a petition from citiens of Washington county, for the repeal of the act relating to brokers and private bankers

Referred to the Committee on Banks. Mr. COCHRAN, a memorial from the Central association of banks, asking for a law for the suppression and destruction of counterfeit Referred to the Committee on Banks.

Mr. ROSS, (Luzerne,) a petition from citizens of Carbondale city, in the county of Luzerne, praying for the repeal of a certain clause of the ninth section of the act incorporating said Referred to the Committee on Corporations. Mr. HOPKINS, (Washington,) one from cit-zens of Willsboro and East Bethlehem town-

Referred to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats,

Also, a remonstrance from citizens of Willsboro' against re-annexing the said lands to East Bethlehem township. Referred to the Committee on New Counties and County Seats.

Mr. M'COY, a memorial from sundry citizens of Butler county, praying for the repeal of the Referred to the Committee on Banks.
Also, the memorial of Henry Pillow, John

Glem, Samuel Leason and others, in regard to a State road in Butler and Venango counties. Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals.

Mr. BARRON, a petition from citizens of Bogg township, Centre county, for a change of the place of holding elections. Referred to the Committee on Election Dis

Mr. BATES, a petition from sixty-one citizens of Crawford county, praying for the erection of a new county out of parts of Crawford, Venango Referred to the Committee on New Counties

Also, one from members of the bar in Craw ford county, praying that said county may be A tax upon all legislation asked for or granted attached to the Eastern district of the Supreme

> Referred to the Committee on Judiciary (general.) Mr. MYERS, a petition from citizens of Lan-

county. Referred to the Committee on Ways and Mr. TRACY, the petition of S. S. Henman of Monroeton, in Bradford county, praying for the passage of a law divorcing him from the

caster county, praying for an appropriation to the Ashmun Institute, located in Chester

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary, (lo Mr. ABBOT, a petition from citizens of Philadelphia, praying for an appropriation to the Ashmun Institute. Referred to the Committee on Ways and

onds of matrimony.

Mr. M'CLELLAN, one from citizens of Ches-Means.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE. Mr. SCOTT asked and obtained leave of ab

sence for Mr. Banks. Mr. GROSS, for Mr. Menold, a messenger o the House. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. MOORE, (Railroads,) as committed, supelement to an act to incorporate the Oil Creek ailroad company.

Mr. COWAN moved that the rules be sus onsideration of the bill.

The motion was agreed to; and the bill was

taken up and passed finally.

ONTESTED BLECTION FROM TWELFTH DISTRICT PHILADELPHIA. Mr. DONNELLY, (Philadelphia,) asked and

obtained leave to present a minority report from the committee on the contested seat of Mr. Wilder; which was read as follows:

REPORT. The undersigned, being a minority of the committee chosen to try the contested election case from the Twelfth Legislative district, of

one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, relative to elections in the City of Philadelphia it is plainly stated that the qualified electors of the city of Philadelphia shall vote for Governor, Senators, and members of the House of Representatives, and members of Congress, by delivering to the proper officers, one written or printed ticket, designating not only the name f the officer voted for, but also the office.-There is no such office as "Assembly." It is "House of Representatives;" and being so designated by the statute, as well as the Constitution, it is, to say the best of it, a question whether the designation should not be strictly followed. I admit, that heretofore ommittees, in the trial of contested elections, have exercised a discretionary power, which enabled them to look more to the intention of the voter than to the manner in which the tickets are printed. But it may well be asked whether this state of things should longer continue. Acts of Assembly mean something or nothing. If they disregard certain things to be done, they should be strictly followed; and

hose who choose to pursue their own opinions nust incur the responsibility. The undersigned, therefore, in view of the fact that the majority of the committee have decided that the designation of the office voted for by the use of the word "Assembly," is act relative to the collector of school taxes in good under the Constitution, and the statute Jefferson county for the year one thousand eight enacted under it, respectfully submits that it hundred and sixty. pehooves the present Legislature to enact such declaratory provision as will hereafter prevent any question being raised as to the meaning of the fundamental and statute law of the Commonwealth.

JAMES DONNELLY. The report was laid on the table. BILLS IM PLACE.

Mr. McCULLOCH read in place an act incorporating the borough of Freeport, in the county

ceed to the consideration of House bill No. 36, of Armstrong.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations. Mr. TRACY, an act to annul the marriage contract between Stanley S. Henman and Mar-tha, his wife. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, the House proceed to the consideration of House bill entitled, "An Act to incorporate the Sha-

(local.) Mr. GRANT, an act to enable the commis sioners of Butler county to adjust certain claims. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

(local.) Mr. SMITH, (Chester), an act to incorporate the New London association, for the detection of thieves and recovery of stolen property.

Referred to the Committe on Corporations.

Mr. TATE, an act to prevent hunting deer with dogs in Columbia county.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Manufactures.

Mr. ROSS, (Luzerne,) an act to repeal a certain clause of the ninth section of the act to in-corporate the city of Carbondale.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations. Mr. BROWN, (Northumberland,) an act to incorporate the Dewart Academy of Northum-Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. COCHRAN, an act for the suppression and destruction of counterfeit banknotes. Referred to the Committee on Banks. Mr. DENNIS, a further supplement to the act incorporating the city of Philadelphia.

Steam Prinking Office.

Marriges and Deaths to be charged as regular

The United States Brig Perry.

Successful Passage of the Potomac Blockade.

THE REBELS STRENGTHENING THEIR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. The United States brig Perry, which for some months past has been anchored just below Alexandria, fitting out for sea, was put into r-ad-iness in the early part of last week, and on

The repairs to the Island Bell were completed at the yard on Saturday, and taking on board Gen. Sickles and some officers of his brigade, she ran Jown past the rebel batteries on Saturday night without being fired at, and a further supplement to the act incorporating after landing her passengers at Liverpool Point, the Duncannon, Landisburg and Broad Top ailroad company. to Indian Head. On her up trip, six shots.

The motion was agreed to, and the bill passed were fired at her by the rebels, none taking

finally.

Mr. STRANG moved that the committee be The rebels appear to be enlarging and discharged from the further consideration of strengthening their works at Cockpit point, as the act relating to taxes on unseated lands in if to make the Occuquan their main line of de-Tioga county, and that the House proceed to fence on their right wing.

Washington, Jan. 27. IN SENATE.

Mr. HALE, (N. H.) from the naval commit-

tee, made a report in relation to the answer of the Secretary of the Navy to the resolution in regard to the Morgan contracts. Mr. WADE, (Ohio,) offered a joint resolution n order to develop, concentrate and bring into

On the motion the yeas and nays were required by Mr. JOSEPHS and Mr. WILDEY, and future defence of the country. The resolution authorizes the Superintendent of the Census to perform such duties under the direction of the Secretary of War, and collect Cessna, Cochran, Cowan, Crane, Divins, Donley, (Greene,) Donnelly, (Philadelphia,) Freeland, Hall, Hoffer, Hoover, Hopkins, (Philadelphia,) such war statistics as in the jndgement of the

Hopkins, (Washington,) Hutchman, Josephs Kline, Lehman, Lichtenwallner, M'Culloch M'Manus, Neiman, Peters, Potteiger, Quigley, Rex, Ritter, Russell, Ryon, Schrock, Scott, read: "the Superintendent of the Census is Sellers, Shannon, Smith, (Chester,) Strang, Tate, Tracy, Tutton, Wakefield, Weidner, Wildey, Williams, Wimley, Windle, Wolf and Worley—49. authorized to furnish the Secretary of War with such war statistics from time to time as the Secretary of War may deem necessary for the use of the department."

The resolution as amended was passed.

Mr. HALE (N. H.) offered a resolution that the Secretary of the Navy be requested to in-

Mr. Wilson, (Mass.) introduced a bill for the

Referred. Mr. King (N. Y.;) presented a resolution from the legislature of New York instructing the Senators from that State to vote for the abolition of the franking privilege. Referred. Mr. WADE (Ohio,) called up the resolution making an addition to the joint rules of both Mr. HAPPER moved that the House proceed to the consideration of House bill No. 20, an pellion when any member of the House or Senger value of the House of the House or Senger value of the Ho ate shall rise in his seat and state that the executive department of the Government desires immediate action on any matter pertaining to the suppression of the present rebellion, the House or Senate, as the case may be, shall go into secret session and proceed to the consideration of the measure proposed, prietor's fund of Newport township, county of and the debate thereon be limited to five min-Luzerne, to appropriate said fund toward the utes to each speaker, and the vote be taken before the adjournment. Any breach of secresy, unless the injunction be removed, shall be punishable by expulsion, if by a member, and if by any officer of the House, be punishable as

Mr. WADE, (Ohio,) modified the resolution so as to strike out the limitation of debate to five minutes, though he had spoken five minutes. Mr. Sumner, (Mass.,) offered an amendment

over till to-morrow.

The case of Senator Bright was then taken Mr. LATHAM, (Cal.,) made a speech in defence of Mr. Bright, and against political pro-scription. Without concluding the subject, the Senate went into executive session, and subse-

quently adjourned HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House then went into committee of the whole upon the state of the Union, upon the West Point Academy bill.

the state of the Orion. The Opposed that the House proceed the the consideration of House bill No. 25, an act authorizing the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church of Downingtown, to grant and convey certain real estate.

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Mr. Shrevield, (R. I.,) censured such radical opinions. Congress had no right to interfere with the President in time of war. This promiscuous debate was closed by resolution, when the military academy appropriation bill was read and reported to the House without amend-

and legislative appropriation bill was resumed.
F. A. CONKLING moved an amendment that no provision in the bill shall be construed as giving authority to any Senator or Representative to receive more than two mileages for this Congress. The chairman ruled the amendment out of order, as independent legislation.— Without concluding the action on the bill, the

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WORKS AT COCKPIT POINT.

Mr. MYERS moved that the house proceed Thursday night ran down past the rebel batto the consideration of House bill No. 32, an eries in tow of the Pussey. She was not fired

effect.

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The amendment was agreed to, and the title conclusion of Yesterday's Proceedings.]

Mr. Sherman, (Ohio,) presented the petition of the mayor and authorities of Springfield, Ohio, relative to the national armory.

effect the mechanical resources of the United States for the suppression of the rebellion and

Secretary of War may be right and proper. On motion of Mr. Fessenden, (Me.) the latter part of the resolution was modified so as to

liott, Happer, Kennedy, M'Clellan, M'Coy, Moore, Pershing, Ross, (Luzerne,) Smith, (Phil-adelphia,) Ziegler and Rowe, Speaker—13. form the Senate what was the cost of the ship-Mr. RYON moved that the House proceed to Mr. RYON moved that the House proceed to of-the-line Pennsylvania, how many cruiss she are consideration of the bill No. 23, an act to has made, and when the ship Alahama was authorize the election of but one supervisor in built, what cost; whether she was fit for a sail and for the township of Rahn, in the county of ing vessel, or can be altered to a steamer. Laid The motion was agreed to, and the bill passed

more effectual suppression of the slave trade.

Mr. ZIEGLER moved that the House proceed the body in which it occurs, shall impose.

that the question of secret session shall be sub-mitted to the body in which it is proposed, the consideration of Senate bill No. 5, an act to and if the majority decide in favor, it shall go immediately into secret session without de-After some debate, the resolution was laid

Mr. Menzies, (Ky...) addressed the House on the state of the Union. He opposed the

ment, and passed. The consideration of the executive, judicial

The motion was agreed to, and the bill passed finally.

Mr. DUFFIELD moved that the House proceed to the consideration of House bill No. 22, an act to provide for the appointment of fence The motion was agreed to; and the bill passed House adjourned.