

The bill reported by Mr. Perry, entitled, an act to incorporate the Trustees of the Jerusalem Church, in Allegany county, was taken up for consideration

On motion of Mr. Bruce,

Said bill was amended by inserting after the word 'estate,' in the 6th section, third line, the following, 'not exceeding ten thousand dollars;'

The said bill was then read the second time as amended, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill reported by Mr. Bruce, entitled, an additional supplement to the act to incorporate the Maryland Mining Company, was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. McLean,

Said bill was referred to the consideration of the next General Assembly.

The bill reported by Mr. Ridgely, chairman of the committee on the militia, entitled, a further supplement to the act, entitled, an act for the better regulation of the militia of the city of Baltimore, passed at December session 1823;

Was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Nelson,

Said bill was referred to the consideration of the next General Assembly.

The bill reported by Mr. McLean, from the select committee on the Penitentiary, entitled, an act to provide for a further loan to the Penitentiary,

Was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Buchanan moved to refer said bill to the consideration of the next General Assembly,

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Smith moved that the house adjourn,

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Richardson moved to amend said bill by adding at the end thereof as an additional section, the following;

Sec. 7. And be it enacted, that this act shall have no force or effect until the joint committee to be appointed by the House of Delegates and the Senate to examine into the fiscal concerns of the Penitentiary, shall report to the Treasurer of the Western Shore, that the same is necessary for the interests of the State—and the committee are hereby directed to make such report as early as practicable.

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Ely,

The yeas and nays were ordered, and appeared as follows: