

Mr. Carroll submitted the following order,

Ordered, that this house will meet every afternoon at 4 o'clock for the transaction of local business;

Which was twice read,—and

On motion of Mr. Ely, ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Williams obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act for the distribution of school monies, and the encouragement of schools and teachers in Harford county;

Ordered, that Messrs. Williams, Maulsby and Forwood report the same.

Mr. Williams also obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act relating to the removal of criminal causes for trial to an adjoining county;

Ordered, that Messrs. Williams, Maulsby and Forwood report the same.

Mr. Carroll obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act for the promotion of education in Somerset county;

Ordered, that Messrs. Carroll, Adams and Lemmon report the same.

Mr. Carroll also obtained leave to bring in a bill, to direct the orphans' court of Somerset county, to authorise the sale of a part of the real estate of the heirs of George A. Dashiell, deceased;

Ordered, that Messrs. Carroll, Adams and Lemmon report the same.

Mr. Powell obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act for the relief of Peter Causey, of Worcester county;

Ordered, that Messrs. Powell, Townsend and Selby report the same.

Mr. Shower submitted the following order,

Ordered, that a special committee of five be appointed to enquire whether that part of Carroll county, which was formerly a part of Baltimore county, is not entitled to remuneration for its portion of public property which it had to relinquish to Baltimore county, by the several acts establishing Carroll county, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

Which was twice read and adopted.

In pursuance whereof, the speaker appointed Messrs. Shower, Ely, Hillen, Bowie and Carroll to compose the committee.

On motion of Mr. Causin,

Ordered, that the committee on grievances and courts of justice enquire into the expediency of remodeling the judicial system of this State.

On motion of Mr. Alexander, the house took up for consideration, the message from the senate in relation to the resolution authorising the State Librarian to subscribe to a compilation of laws by the Hon. Clement Dorsey;

On motion of Mr. Alexander, said resolution was amended by inserting after the word "published," in the ninth line thereof, the words "and delivered;"