

Mr. Gale presented the petition of sundry persons relative to the inspection of salt fish; which was read and referred to Messrs. Gale, Winder and Hollyday, to consider and report thereon.

The bill, entitled, An act to authorise Arthur Craddock to bring a certain negro slave into this state; the bill, entitled, An act to authorise the drawing of a lottery in the city of Baltimore for the benefit of the Baltimore second dispensary; the bill, entitled, An act to empower Thomas W. Griffith, late collector of Baltimore county, to complete his collections, and for other purposes; the bill, entitled, An act to regulate the charges on tobacco inspected in Prince-George's county; the bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to lay out and make public the roads therein mentioned in Harford county, and for other purposes, passed December session eighteen hundred and sixteen, chapter 208, were severally read the second time.

The bill, entitled, An act to lay out and make public a road in Frederick and Montgomery counties, was read the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Levin Craig, infant child and heir of Margaret Craig, late of Dorchester county, deceased; the bill, entitled, An act authorising the levy court of Baltimore county to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned; the bill, entitled, An act authorising Sarah Bowen, administratrix D. B. N. of Benjamin Y. Bowen, to complete the collections of the said Benjamin Y. Bowen, were severally read the second time.

The act, entitled, An act to authorise Sarah Harry, of Washington county, to sell and convey certain property therein mentioned, was read the second time.

The committee to whom was referred the bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to enlarge the bounds of Baltimore city, reported the same with sundry amendments.

The bill, entitled, An act to authorise the moderator and commissioners of Hager's Town to levy a sum of money for a Fire Engine, was read the second, and by special order the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to increase the allowance to the sheriff of Allegany county for keeping persons in gaol and finding them victuals, was read the second time, and the consideration thereof postponed.

The bill, entitled, An act extending the benefit of the insolvent laws to Abraham Leider of Washington county, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and will not pass. Sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act to establish a bank and incorporate a company under the name of The Frederick County Bank, was read the third time by special order, and the question put, Shall this bill pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Mr. President, Messrs. Carmichael, Emerson, Jackson, Maxcy, Taney, Winder.—7.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Gale, Hollyday, Magruder.—3.

So it was determined in the affirmative, the bill passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

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

SATURDAY, January 24, 1818.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Dorsey appeared in the senate.

Mr. Winder from the committee reported a bill, entitled, An act to authorise the building of a bridge over the river Patapsco at the place called Hammond's Ferry; which was read the first and second time.

The bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act to prevent trespasses in Allegany county, was read the second and third time by special order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to an act for the promotion of literature in this state; the bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the trustees of the Church Hill academy in Queen-Anne's county; the bill, entitled, An act to alter and amend a road from Clement Green's Mill, in Harford county, were severally read the second time the bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the Hibernian Society of Baltimore, was read the second time and the further consideration thereof postponed; the bill, entitled, An act to confirm an act, entitled, An act to alter and change all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relates to the division of Anne-Arundel county into election districts, and to change the place of holding elections in the second election district of said county, was read the second time.

The bill, entitled, An act to alter and change such parts of the constitution and form of government as provide for the election of the council, and the manner and time of electing the governor, was read the third time, and the further consideration thereof postponed until Monday next.

The senate adjourns until Monday morning 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, January 26, 1818.

The senate met. Present the same members as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read. Mr. Calvert appeared in the senate.

The bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the Havre-de-Grace Ferry Company, was read the third time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The bill, entitled, An act authorising the sale of the real estate of Samuel Wilson, late of Somerset county, deceased, was read the third time, (Mr. Gale was, on motion, excused from voting on this bill) passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following bills: A bill, entitled, An act authorising the levy court of Baltimore county to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned; a bill, entitled, An act to provide for the removal of lunatic paupers from the several counties of this state to the hospital in Baltimore; a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the distribution of a certain fund for the purpose of establishing free schools in the several counties therein mentioned; a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the breadth of a certain road in Kent county; a bill, entitled, An act to inspect and transcribe the records of the surveyor of Charles county, and for other purposes; a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act concerning crimes and punishments; a bill, entitled, An act authorising the drawing of a lottery for the benefit of Washington Lodge No. 59 of free and accepted Masons; a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to