

Mr. Rees from the committee made a favorable report upon the bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled an act incorporating the Master and Wardens of Clinton Lodge No. 88, of Free and Accepted Masons, for the purpose therein mentioned, passed at December session, 1826, chapter 143.

The said bill was then read a second, and by special order a third time, passed, and returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Forrest, from the committee, reported a bill, entitled, an act to incorporate the American Colonization Society, which was read the first time, when Mr. Forrest moved to fill up the blank in the bill with \$2,000.

On motion of Mr. Lloyd, the bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Herbert from the committee made a favorable report upon the bill, entitled, an act authorising the levy court of Prince Georges' county, and the Commissioners of Anne Arundel county, to levy a sum of money for repairing a bridge over Patuxent river, at Queen Anne.

The said bill was then read a second, and by special order a third time, passed, and returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Rees, from the committee, made a favorable report upon the bill, entitled, an act for the relief of Arthur Newman of Kent county and Richard Newman of Queen Annes' county, with the following amendment, viz:

At the end of the bill, add the following, "Provided, that nothing herein contained shall affect any rights, and which vested prior to the passage of this act, other than those of State.

Which amendment was read and assented to.

The said bill was then read a second time.

Mr. Herbert, from the committee, made a favorable report upon the bill, entitled, an act for rebuilding a certain bridge therein mentioned.

The said bill was then read a second, and by special order a third time, passed and returned to the House of Delegates.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the engrossed bill, entitled, an act for taking testimony in cases of applications for divorce, was read a third time by special order, passed, and sent to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Forrest from the committee, made a favorable report upon the bill, entitled, an act for the relief of the legal representatives of William S. Morsell, late clerk of Calvert county court.