

Mr. Key, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to aid and revive the proceedings of the court of appeals; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Street, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to authorise and lay out a public road from Thomas Underhill's mill to intersect the road leading from John Neale's to John Coxe's, in Harford county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Quynn, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act relating to certain public roads in Anne-Arundel county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. J. T. Worthington, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to open a road from the turnpike road leading towards M'Allister's-town, at or near the widow Mortar's, to intersect the York turnpike road at or near Benedict Hurst's tavern; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Potter, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Anne Miller, of Caroline county, report, that they have had the same under their serious consideration, and are of opinion that it would be improper for the legislature to grant the relief prayed for at this time, and therefore submit to the house the propriety of referring it to the next general assembly.

By order,

J. S. BETTON, clk.

Which was read the first and second time and concurred with.

The report on the petition of John Crift was read the second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That the committee appointed on the said petition prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Thompson, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry inhabitants of the upper part of Queen-Anne's county, have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petitioners is reasonable, and ought to be granted, and that a law ought to pass appointing commissioners to lay out a road agreeably to the prayer of the said petitioners.

By order,

J. S. BETTON, clk.

Which was read the first and second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That the committee appointed on the said petition prepare and bring in the same.

The report on the petition of Charles Mankin was read the second time, and the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to lay out and open a road in Cæcil county from Archibald Dyfart's towards Hugh Ramfay's tavern. ORDERED, That Mr. Wallace, Mr. Haynes and Mr. Taney, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Leigh, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Francis Noble, of Saint-Mary's county, beg leave to report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion that the prayer of the petitioner is reasonable, and ought to be granted.

By order,

J. F. HARRIS, clk.

Which was read the first and second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That the committee appointed on the said petition prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Beall, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry inhabitants of Allegany county, praying that the road established by the levy court of said county from a tract of land called Bear Camps, through Selby's part to the Virginia line, at a place called Jening's Cabin, may be confirmed and declared a public road, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion the prayer of the petition is reasonable, and ought to be granted.

By order,

J. S. BETTON, clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Brome, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of the trustees of Lower-Marlborough academy, in Calvert county, and others, report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and are of opinion that the prayer thereof is reasonable, and that its the interest of this state to facilitate the diffusion of knowledge, by promoting literary institutions; they therefore submit the propriety of the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby required to pay to the trustees of Lower-Marlborough academy, or order, annually, the sum of three hundred dollars, to be appropriated to the use of said school.

By order,

L. GASSAWAY, clk.

Which was read.

Mr. J. Thomas, from the committee, delivers to the speaker the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the representation of the adjutant-general, relative to the militia, report, that they have taken the same into their serious consideration, and find, that the duties of the office have been performed with diligence and fidelity, as far as it was in the power of the adjutant-general. Your committee further report, that the office of adjutant-general appears absolutely necessary to carry into effect the militia law of this state; they therefore recommend the following resolution: