

**CLERK OF THE HOUSE**—Ordered to transmit to Alexander Wilson a copy of the petition in regard to his removal from the county of Cecil into Kent, 53.

Ordered to transmit to Messrs. Scott, McLane and Ross a copy of the Resolutions appointing them commissioners to the President of the United States, 56.

Order appointing Thomas H. Moore, during the illness of M. Y. Kidd, adopted, 164.

**COLORED POPULATION**—Bill reported from select committee, to repeal section 49 of article 56, in relation to free negroes remaining out of the State more than thirty days; and section 50 of same article in relation to the granting of permits by the Orphans' Court to, to remain out and return into this State for a longer period than thirty days, 37; amended and referred to committee on Judiciary, 38; reported unfavorably, 59; minority report thereon, 59; both bills recommitted, 59; favorable report, and read a first time, 66; read a second and by special order a third time and rejected, 79; reconsidered to second reading, 80; amended, read a second and by special order a third time, and passed, 81.

Leave granted the Judiciary committee to bring in a bill to be entitled an act to amend the IVth article of the Code of Public Local Laws, by adding thereto a section, vesting in the Board of Police of the City of Baltimore all the authority in said city, now vested in a single Magistrate and Constable, under the provisions of the LXVth article of the Code of General Public Laws, in regard to free negroes and mulattoes, 38; bill reported favorably, read a first and by special order a second and third time, and passed, 58; returned from Senate, passed, 76.

Bill reported from a select committee to amend article 66, of the Code of Public General Laws relating to negroes, by repealing the 91st section thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a section in relation to the apprehension fees for slaves, read a first, second and third time by special order and passed, 240; returned from the Senate, rejected, 312.