

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. The bill annulling the marriage therein mentioned, being supplementary to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of Mary Gwinn, of Frederick county, the bill authorising the appointment of commissioners to review the public road leading through the lands of Elizabeth Charlton and Mary Sim, in Frederick county, the bill to authorise and empower the levy court of Queen-Anne's county to assess and levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned, and the bill to remit certain forfeitures incurred under the act to incorporate a fire insurance company in the city of Baltimore, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from the congregation of Benjamin church, in Frederick county, praying for a lottery for the benefit thereof, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Baer, Mr. Sappington and Mr. J. Thomas, to consider and report thereon.

A petition from the vestry of Saint-John's parish, in Prince-George's county, praying that persons may be appointed to ascertain and fix the lines and boundaries of the land belonging to said church, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Beall, Mr. Herbert and Mr. Page, to consider and report thereon.

The further supplement to the act, entitled, An act relating to the public roads in the several counties therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from Joshua Howard, of Frederick county, praying commissioners may be appointed to carry into effect a law to lay out and open, at the expense of the petitioner, a road from the road leading from Charlton's Gap to Baltimore-town to the mill of the petitioner, and from thence to intersect the aforesaid road to Baltimore-town, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Sappington, Mr. Baer and Mr. J. Thomas, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Streett, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and make public an old road in Harford county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill authorising George Robertson and Dorothy Robertson to convey certain lands therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Angier, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of John Lamb, and Elizabeth Lamb his wife, of Kent county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. J. H. Thomas, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to confirm a sale of land made by the executors of Henry Willis to Joseph Haines; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Stephen Dakes, and Jane his wife, praying a law may pass authorising the sale of the lands of John Fitch, deceased, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Bayly, Mr. Cottman and Mr. Gale, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Hopper, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act authorising Solomon Scott, late sheriff of Queen-Anne's county, to complete his collection; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from John Herring, of Prince-George's county, praying that himself, his wife, his daughter and her children, may be supported out of the poors house, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. S. Thomas, Mr. Carroll and Mr. Gaither, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Scott has leave of absence.

The bill to repeal part of the seventh section of an act, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the regulation and improvement of Denton, in Caroline county, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill authorising Thomas J. Pattison, late sheriff and collector of Dorchester county, to complete his collection, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

A petition from the president and managers of the Baltimore and York-town turnpike road company, praying a law may pass to annul and set aside the valuation of the commissioners, and to make a re-valuation, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. R. Steuart, Mr. Stansbury, Mr. Bland, Mr. Baer, Mr. Harryman, Mr. Howell and Mr. Davis, to consider and report thereon.

Mr. Carroll and Mr. Hughlett appear in the house.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the supplement to the act, entitled, An act to regulate and discipline the militia of this state, and, on motion, the question was put, That the word "three" be stricken out of the first clause thereof, which ascertains the number of days for the meeting of companies? Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the word "eight" be inserted in lieu of the word stricken out? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs	Angier	Chapman	Harryman	Stevens	Mitchell	Boyle	Young	Tilghman
	Brice	Dorsey	Randall	Edmondson	Hart	Hopper	R. Steuart	Gabby
	Hodges	Parnham	Brown	Seth	Beall	Spencer	Bland	Downey
	P. Stuart	Stansbury						