

favorably, a Resolution in favor of Thomas Jefferson Godman, the representative of Samuel Godman, an officer in the Maryland line during the revolutionary war, authorizing the grant to him of two hundred acres of vacant land, lying to the westward of Fort Cumberland in Allegany county;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Lester, from a Select Committee, reported a bill entitled an act to incorporate the President and Directors of the Howard Fire Insurance Company of Baltimore;

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Corporation.

Mr. Stone, from a Select Committee, reported a bill entitled an act to amend an act entitled, an act to amend and modify the primary school system of Charles county.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Abbott of the Committee composed of the Baltimore city delegation, reported a bill entitled an act to prevent obstructions in Union Dock, in the City of Baltimore.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Kildow presented the following bill:

An act to make valid a deed from the Llangollen Mining Company to John Crawford;

Also an act to make valid a deed from the Llangollen Mining Company to Henry H. Kight;

Which bills were read the first time, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Heath of the Committee on Pensions, presented a bill entitled an act to allow a pension to Joseph Benson, a private in the war of the Revolution, and appropriating a sum of money for the payment thereof.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Parker presented the following bill:

An act to permit persons to whom free negroes or mulattoes are bound in Worcester county, to hire them out.

Read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Colored Population.

The bill entitled an act to enforce the payment of rent in the City of Baltimore.

Was read the second time.