

one hundred and seven, entitled, an act to make valid certain proceedings of the Orphans' court of Prince George's county;

Mr. Lankford reported a bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Presbyterian Church at Rehaboth;

Severally read the first and by special order the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Rider reported a bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Presbyterian Church at Barren Creek Springs, in Somerset county;

Read the first and by special order the second time, and

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

Ordered, That the said bill be referred to the committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to give to justices of the peace jurisdiction in the matter of the appearance bonds of insolvent debtors.

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

Ordered, That the said bill be recommitted to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Ordered, That the committee on Military Pensions and Revolutionary Claims be directed to inquire into the propriety of allowing a pension to the widow of Colonel Gassaway Watkins, a revolutionary officer, and that they have leave to withdraw from the files of the last House of Delegates the papers in relation to that subject.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

Leave was granted to withdraw from the files of the last House of Delegates the petition of David Silver, of Harford county.

On motion of Mr. Worthington,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Worthington, Weems and Tuck, to bring in a bill to compel every young man, over twenty-three years of age, who is not married, and has the means to support a wife, to pay annually fifty dollars for revenue purposes.

Mr. Richardson reported a bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the Independent Hose and Junior Fire Companies of Frederick;

Read the first and by special order the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Sherwood of Talbot,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Sherwood of Talbot, Sherwood of Caroline and Colston, to bring in a bill to incorporate the Nelson Lodge of Odd Fellows, at Hillsborough, Caroline county.

Mr. Jarrett asked and obtained the following leave:

Leave to bring in a bill entitled, an act to prevent the sacrifice of property in Harford county by the collectors, in selling for the direct tax.

Mr. Gallagher moved to refer the said leave to the committee on Ways and Means;

On the question being put,

On motion of Mr. Jarrett,