

Leave was granted to Messrs. Hall, Randall, Risteau, Walker and Welsh, to bring in a bill to prevent the removal of free negroes into Baltimore county from other counties in the State.

On motion of Mr. Simpers,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Simpers, Crookshanks, Janney and Lackland, to bring in a bill to authorise the commissioners of Cecil county, to levy the sum of twenty dollars on the assessable property thereof, for a limited time, for the use of Wesley Blake.

On motion of Mr. Morsell,

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to make valid a deed from Isaac Bowen, of Calvert county, to James B. Dixon, also of said county.

On motion of Mr. Morsell,

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

Mr. Buskirk submitted the following order:

Ordered, That upon the adjournment of the daily morning sessions of the House, a recess be taken until four P. M., until the bills now entitled to second reading be disposed of.

Which was read.

Mr. Starr then submitted the following, as a substitute for said order:

Ordered, That this House meet at nine o'clock in the morning, adjourn at two o'clock, meet again at three and a half o'clock, for the despatch of public business, until the close of the session.

Which was read.

Mr. Buskirk then moved the previous question, and the same being demanded by a majority of the members present,

The main question was then put,

Will the House accept the said substitute?

Determined in the negative.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the order;

And on being put, it was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Buchanan, Hammond and Yel-lott, to bring in a bill to be entitled, an act to render penal certain acts therein referred to.

On motion of Mr. Holland,

Ordered, That it be entered upon the journal of this House, that Mr. Handy, of Worcester, having been unavoidably detained from his seat, was prevented from voting in the affirmative upon the resolutions submitted by Mr. Causin.

On motion of Mr. Lecompte of Dorchester,

Ordered, That the committee on Colored Population be directed to inquire into the expediency of transporting to Africa, all convict free negroes, and they report by bill or otherwise, and that they report by the 20th inst.

Mr. Brown reported a bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the legal representatives of Mary Gorsuch, late of Carroll county, deceased;