

trustees be required to report to this House the number of months of the year during which the scholars in each department are taught, and the hours at which they are assembled and dismissed; and that the said trustees be required to report to this House the number of scholars gratuitously taught, and the amount of money expended in the purchase of schools books and stationery for the use of said scholars so gratuitously taught, in each and every year, from the commencement of the State's donation to said academy, up to the first of January, eighteen hundred and forty-three.

On motion of Mr. Phelps,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Phelps, Traverse, Nicols, Lecompte of Carroll and Tuck, to bring in a bill to extend real estate for debt.

On motion of Mr. Powder,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Powder, Phelps, Neff, Yellott and Worthington, to bring in a bill to be entitled, an act to require all attorneys practising in the several courts of this State to give bond, with security, for the payment of all monies placed in their hands for collection and collected.

On motion of Mr. Phelps,

Ordered, That the committee on Pensions and Revolutionary Claims be instructed to inquire into the propriety of placing upon the pension list Mrs. Elizabeth Frazier of Dorchester county, widow of Levin Frazier, a revolutionary soldier, to take effect from the 5th of July last, and that they be instructed to report to this House at their earliest convenience, by resolution or otherwise.

On motion of Mr. Lecompte of Carroll,

Leave was granted to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice to bring in a bill supplementary to the acts giving appeals from the judgments of single magistrates and the district courts to the county courts.

On motion of Mr. Crookshanks,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Crookshanks, Simpser, Lackland and Janney, to bring in a bill prohibiting free negroes from trading out of Cecil county into the State of Delaware.

And to bring in a bill to require the commissioners of Cecil county to deliver over to the commissioners of all supervisors of roads to the collectors of said county for distribution instead of the sheriff.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Buchanan, Neff, Pickell and Buskirk, to bring in a bill to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from some point on the North turnpike road of the state of Virginia, to some point on the National road, so as to form a connexion between the said North Western turnpike road of Virginia and the town of Cumberland.

On motion of Mr. Sutton,