

Mr. Giles asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to be entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act relating to Mortgages, passed December session, 1833, ch. 181;

Referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Newman asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to abolish the Magistrates' courts in Alleghany county;

Referred to the Alleghany county delegation.

Mr. Owen asked and obtained leave to withdraw from the files of the last House of Delegates, the petition of Jacob R. Shepherd.

On motion of Mr. Graves the committee to whom was referred the leave to bring in a bill to amend or repeal the several acts relating to the City Court of Baltimore, &c. was increased to the whole Baltimore city delegation.

Mr. Legrand asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill, entitled, an act to protect the lives of persons travelling on rail roads within the State of Maryland;

Referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Polk asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill entitled, an act to confirm an act, to amend the constitution and form of government of this state, limiting the future sessions of the General Assembly;

Referred to Messrs. Polk, Phelps and Seidenstricker.

Mr. Berry asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to extend the jurisdiction of the magistrates of Alleghany county;

Referred to the Alleghany delegation.

Mr. Hook asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to regulate the compensation of the justices of the magistrate's courts of Carroll county;

Referred to Messrs. Hook, Bramwell and Parke.

Mr. Mason reported a bill, entitled, a supplement to the several acts of Assembly, passed for the benefit of insolvent debtors;

Read and referred to the committee on insolvency.

Mr. Hammond from the select committee to whom was referred the leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act to confirm an act for the establishment of a municipal jurisdiction over part of Anne Arundel county, and for other purposes, reported a bill entitled, an act to confirm an act, entitled an act for the establishment of a municipal jurisdiction over a part of Anne Arundel county, and to alter and change the constitution of this State so far as may be necessary to effect the same, passed at December session, 1838, chapter 22;

Which was read and made the order of the day for Monday week.

Mr. Cottman asked and obtained leave to report a bill, entitled an act to authorise Dr. John A. E. Horsey to introduce certain slaves into this State;

Referred to Messrs. Cottman, Long and Winder.

On motion of Mr. Giles, the House took up for consideration