

Mr. Thawley reported a bill entitled, an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of cleaning, widening and otherwise opening the long marsh ditch line, between Queen Anne and Caroline counties, from Keen's Cross Roads, to a certain tract of land called and known by the name of Strathen, lying and being in Queen Ann's county, and a short distance below the village of Bridgetown, in Caroline county, which ditch was opened by virtue of an act of Assembly, passed December session, 1789;

Read the first and by special order the second time and will pass.

On motion of Mr. Long,

The house took up for consideration the bill entitled, a further supplement to an act for the relief of Samuel G. Holbrook of Somerset county;

Read the second time by special order and will pass.

On motion of Mr. Hook,

The house took up for consideration the bill entitled, an act for the more equal distribution among the different academies in Carroll county, of the State's donation for the benefit of academies in said county;

Read the second time.

Mr. Parke moved to refer it to the select committee on education.

On the question being put, it was

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Parke moved to amend said bill by striking out all after the word "Maryland," in the second line of the first section, and inserting the following:

That the Treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland, be and he is hereby authorised and required to pay annually to the following academies in Carroll county, out of the State's donation for the benefit of academies in said county, in the manner following, to wit: to the Manchester Academy, two hundred dollars; to the Carroll Academy, one hundred and fifty dollars; to the Uniontown Academy, one hundred and fifty dollars; to the Clover Hill Academy, one hundred dollars; to the Dee Park Academy, one hundred dollars; and to the Oakland Academy, one hundred dollars,

Which was read.

On the question being put, will the house agree to amend?

On motion of Mr. Hook,

The yeas and nays were required and appear as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Hammond	Temples	Graves
Poultney	McPherson	Newcomer
Welch of B.	Quynn	Byer
Risteau	Biser	Keppler
Stansbury	Simmons	Waters
Holmes	Firor	Dade
Colston	Sutton	Crabbs