

Mr. Martin reported a bill entitled, an act relating to the sheriff of Talbot county;

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

Mr. Thawley reported a bill entitled, an act relating to the sheriff of Caroline county;

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

Mr. Foard reported a bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to build a bridge over Little Elk Creek near the Rock meeting house in Cecil county, passed at December session 1837, chapter 41;

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

Mr. Martin reported a bill entitled, an act to regulate the compensation of witnesses in Talbot and Washington counties;

Read the first and by special order the second time.

On motion of Mr. Martin,

Said bill was amended by striking out the words "and Washington counties," and inserting the word "county" in the third line thereof;

Said bill as amended was then passed.

On motion of Mr. Martin,

The title of said bill was amended by striking out "and Washington counties," and inserting the word "county."

Mr. Hellen reported a bill entitled, an act to change the name of Somerset Young Parran, of Calvert county, to that of Charles Somerset Parran;

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

Mr. Tuck reported a bill entitled, an act to extend the act passed December session 1838, chapter 113, entitled an act to authorise Thomas M. D. Baden, collector of taxes of Prince George's county, further time to complete his collections;

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

Mr. Parke reported a bill entitled, an act for the relief of John Erb, of Carroll county;

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

Mr. Tuck, from the committee on grievances and courts of justice, reported a bill entitled, an act to make valid a deed of partition between Zadock Robinson and others, of Prince George's county;

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

Mr. Heckart, from the committee on inspections, reported a bill entitled, an act relating to the inspection of lumber;