David Briddell, Jr. of Worcester county, for purposes therein men-

tioned; and,

The bill reported by Mr. Rider, entitled, a further supplement to an act, entitled, an act to incorporate a bank, to be called by the name of the Bank of Salisbury;

Were severally taken up for consideration, read the second time,

and severally passed.

The bill reported by Mr. Tuck, chairman of the committee on grievances and courts of justice, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act to repair injuries done by Rail Road Carriages and Engines, upon the several Rail Road Companies of this State, passed December session, 1838, ch. 244, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

On motion of Mr. Holmes,

The house took up for consideration, the bill reported by him, entitled, an act to divorce Susan Frank, of the city of Baltimore, from her husband, Gustavis Frank, a mensa et thoro, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

Mr. Gantt obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act for the relief of Samuel L. Norwood, and others, of Anne Arundel county.

Ordered, That Messrs. Gantt, Estep, and Dorsey, report the same. The bill reported by Mr. Cathell, entitled, an act for the clearing out of Pocomoke River, in Worcester county, by Lottery, was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

Said bill was amended, by striking out in the 1st section these words, "and without being subject to any tax whatever."

On motion of Mr. Nicols,

Said bill was referred to the committee on Lotteries.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

The house adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1841.

The House met. Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Causin, Welch of Kent, Edes, Jones of Kent, Gantt, Estep, Dorsey, Hellen, Dalrymple, Weems, Brent, Matthews, Holmes, Welsh of Baltimore county, Randall, Martin, Lowe, Jones of Somerset, Williams, Jacobs, Keene, Tall, Morton, Simcoe, Maxwell, Maccubbin, George, Ford, Cathell, Hooper, Edward A. Lynch, Naill, Sutton, Hope, Billingslea, Whiteford, Nicols, Sullivan, Graves, Presstman, Weast, Gittings, Sprigg of Allegany, Coombs, Thayer, Shower, Lecompte.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill, entitled an act for the more speedy trial of causes in the Court of Appeals of Maryland;