

Mr. Ford, chairman of the select committee, made a favorable report upon the bill from the Senate, entitled an act to perfect and make valid the title of John B. Thomas, of Queen Anne's county, to certain negroes therein mentioned;

Which was read.

The said bill was then read the first, and by a special order the second time, passed and returned to the Senate.

Mr. Matthews, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Nancy Coward, praying remuneration for services rendered by her husband during the revolutionary war;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Graves reported a bill, entitled an act to alter and amend the constitution, so far as relates to the loaning of the public money on credit to corporations;

Mr. Brent reported a bill, entitled an act to authorise Mahlon Talbot, former sheriff of Frederick county, to execute a deed to Jane Burgee;

Mr. Simcoe reported a bill, entitled an act to lay out and open a road in Cecil county; and

Mr. Morton reported a bill, entitled an act to lay out and open a road in Cecil county;

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Gaither, from the committee on corporations, reported a bill, entitled an act to incorporate the Marion Total Abstinence Society of Baltimore;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Morton, chairman of the select committee, made a favorable report upon the bill from the Senate, entitled an act to authorise the commissioners of Cecil county, at their discretion, to levy a sum of money to build a bridge over the east branch of Northeast creek, near John Meame's saw-mill, on the public road leading from the Brick meeting-house and Rock meeting-house, to Northeast village;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Maxwell, chairman of the select committee, made a favorable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled an act relating to the school fund of Cecil county;

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill reported by Mr. Bowie, chairman of the committee on ways and means, entitled an act to raise a revenue for the support of government, was taken up for consideration;

On motion of Mr. Coade,

Said bill was postponed and made the order of the day for Saturday the 27th inst.

The bill reported by Mr. Frazier, chairman of the committee on divorces, entitled an act to divorce Rebecca M. Hooton, of Baltimore city, from her husband, Joseph Hooton, a mensa et thoro;