

Mr. Orrick presented the petition of William Merryman, of Baltimore county, praying to be divorced from his wife Elizabeth Merryman, a vinculo matrimonii;

Which was read and referred to the committee on divorces.

Mr. Coad, chairman of the committee on colored population, presented the answer of the President of the Maryland Colonization Society, in obedience to an order adopted by the House of Delegates, on the 8th instant;

Which was read; and

On motion of Mr. Coad,

Ordered to be printed.

Mr. Frazier, chairman of the committee on divorces, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Sarah Ann Hoblitzell, of Allegany county, praying for a divorce from her husband, Dennis B. Hoblitzell;

Which was read the first and second time by special order;

On motion of Mr. Sprigg, of Allegany,

Said report was recommitted.

Mr. Frazier, chairman of the same committee, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Jonas Steffter, praying to be divorced from his wife, Caroline Steffter;

Which was read the first and second time by special order; and

On motion of Mr. Le Grand,

Said report was laid on the table.

Mr. Frazier chairman of the same committee, made unfavorable reports upon the petition of Mary Poag for a divorce from her husband, James Poag; and

The petition of Adam Dehue for a divorce from his wife, Wilhelmina Dehue;

Which were severally read the first, and by a special order the second time, and severally concurred in.

Mr. Frazier, chairman of the same committee, made a favorable report upon the bill from the Senate, entitled an act for the relief and benefit of Harriet Lydia Stover;

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.

The bill reported by Mr. Morton, entitled an act supplemental to the act passed at December session 1832, ch. 170, entitled an act to lay out and open a road in Cecil county,

Was taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

The bill reported by Mr. E. A. Lynch, entitled an act to revive an act passed at December session 1834, ch. 205, entitled a further supplement to an act, entitled an act to authorise a lottery for certain purposes therein mentioned, was taken up for consideration;

On motion of Mr. E. A. Lynch,

Said bill was ordered to lie on the table.