

Read the first time and laid on the table.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to divorce Jane Abell of the city of Baltimore, from her husband Benjamin A. Abell;

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

Mr. Tuck presented the memorial and a deed of Singleton Duval, praying that the trusts therein mentioned may be permitted to be established and executed;

Mr. Risteau presented the petition of sundry citizens of Harford county and Bush River Neck, praying an alteration in the license laws;

Severally read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to divorce Vincent Galloway of the city of Baltimore, from his wife Susan Galloway;

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

Mr. Boyle presented the petition of William Roberts and others of Carroll county, praying the Legislature to grant relief to a certain negro woman therein mentioned;

Read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Hollman reported a bill entitled, an act for the protection of mechanics and others in Washington county;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

The House then took up the following bills:

The bill entitled, an act to authorize the renewal of certain State bonds therein mentioned;

Read the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

The bill entitled, an act to provide for taking the vote of the people of this State, as to the expediency of calling a convention to reform the present and frame a new constitution, so as to enable the Legislature to call such a convention;

Read the second time, and

On motion of Mr. Staley,

Ordered, That said bill be laid on the table.

The bill entitled, an act to alter and amend the constitution and form of government, so as to provide for the election of county clerks and registers of wills immediately by the people;

Read the second time;

Mr. Causin moved to lay the said bill on the table;

On the question being put, it was

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Causin,

Ordered, That said bill be made the order of the day for Thursday week.