

Mr. Grove reported a bill entitled, an act relative to the school fund of Washington county;

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

Mr. Buskirk reported a bill entitled, an additional supplement to the act entitled, an act to incorporate the Boston and New York Coal Company;

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

Mr. Willis, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, made the following

REPORT:

The committee on Engrossed Bills beg leave to report, that they have carefully examined the engrossed bills of the House of Delegates, from number forty-four to number sixty inclusive, and the resolutions from number four to number six inclusive, and compared the same with the originals as passed by this Legislature, and that they have found the same to be truly engrossed.

Which was read and concurred in.

Mr. Buchanan reported a bill entitled, an act to abolish the office of judge of the Land Office for the Eastern Shore, and for other purposes;

Read the first time, and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Mr. Richardson of Baltimore,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Richardson of Baltimore, Sellman and Johnson, to bring in a bill entitled, an act supplementary to an act entitled, an act to incorporate the Chesapeake Bank, passed at December session 1835, chapter 313;

On motion of Mr. Gott,

Leave was granted to withdraw from the files of this House the petition of St. Peter's Parish in Montgomery county.

Mr. Sellman reported a bill entitled, an act to authorise the laying out and opening a road through a part of Howard District and Carroll county;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Culbreth,

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to fix the per diem of the members of the Legislature, and the several officer thereof, of this State;

Mr. Downs then moved to reject the report of the committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Mr. Downs,

The House was called and the doorkeeper sent after the absent members.

On motion of Mr. Nicols of Dorchester,

The House proceeded with the ordinary business of the session in the absence of the doorkeeper.

Mr. Owens of Anne Arundel, from the committee on the Library, to which was referred the resolution directing the manner of