

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

Mr. Causin, from the select committee to which were referred the petition of Dr. Robert Neal and sundry citizens of St. Mary's county, praying the repeal of an act therein mentioned, authorizing a public road;

And the petition of sundry citizens of St. Mary's county, praying the opening of a public road therein mentioned, reported that the prayer of the said petitioners is provided for by the act of 1818, and that the said committee had instructed him to ask to be discharged from the further consideration thereof;

Which was read and concurred in.

Mr. Sherwood reported a bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Franklin Total Abstinence Beneficial Society of the town of Easton;

Read and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Johns, chairman of the committee on Divorces, to which was referred the bill from the Senate entitled, an act to divorce Elizabeth N. Harn of Worcester county, from her husband James R. Harn, reported favorably thereon;

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Also, reported unfavorably on the petition of George Staylor of the city of Baltimore;

And of Ann Fleming of Worcester county, severally praying for acts of divorce;

Read and laid on the table.

And reported a bill entitled, an act to divorce Moses Ginn of Cecil county, from his wife Aberella Ginn, a vinculo matrimonii;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

Mr. Newnam, from the select committee to which was referred the bill from the Senate entitled, an act to allow Thomas H. Ford, late sheriff of Queen Anne's county, further time to complete his collections, reported the same without amendment;

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On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to divorce Mary Schafer of the city of Baltimore, from her husband Henry Schafer, a vinculo matrimonii;

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Mr. Boyle, chairman of the committee on Lotteries, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to authorize the drawing of a lottery, for the purpose of building a wharf at the town of Oxford, in Talbot county, reported that the committee were of opinion that the passage of the said bill would conflict with the constitution as amended at the session of 1839 and 1840, and that the said bill ought not to pass;

Which was read and concurred in.