

And a memorial of sundry citizens of the State of Maryland, upon the subject of the direct tax;

Read and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

And returned the resolution in favor of Francis Valdenar, executor of William Layman;

Endorsed "assented to."

Ordered to be engrossed.

And returned the following bills:

The bill entitled, an act to allow James A. Waddle, late sheriff and collector of Dorchester county, further time to complete his collections;

The bill entitled, an act to grant to John W. Walker, late sheriff of Baltimore county, further time to complete his collections;

The bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the trustees of school district number one in the second election district of Charles county;

The bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to incorporate the Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company of Baltimore, passed at December session 1840, chapter 82;

The bill entitled, an act concerning the Annapolis and Elkridge Rail Road Company;

The bill entitled, an act to provide for the appointment of an additional inspector of Sole Leather and Rough Harness and Rough Skirting Leather in the city of Baltimore;

The bill entitled, an act to authorize the sale of certain property therein mentioned;

The bill entitled, an act to incorporate the trustees of Union Academy in Carroll county;

Severally endorsed "will pass;"

Severally ordered to be engrossed.

The bill entitled, an act to authorize the trustees of the Catholic church of Taney town in Carroll county, to hold certain property and for other purposes;

Endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendment;"

Amendment proposed:

In the first line of the second section strike out the words "or either of them."

Which was read, assented to, and

Ordered to be engrossed.

The bill entitled, a supplement to an act relating to the importation of passengers, passed December session 1832, chapter 303;

Endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendment."

Amendment proposed:

After the word "the" 3rd line of the bill, strike out the residue of the section and insert:

"Trustees for the poor of Baltimore city and county semi-annually, all sums of money arising from the assessment of one