

On motion of Mr. Ghiselin,

Leave was granted Messrs. Ghiselin, Calvert, Semmes and Wootten, to bring in a bill to authorise Jesse Selby of Prince George's county, to hold and retain in this State, negro slaves.

On motion of Mr. Hammill,

Leave was granted Messrs. Hammill, McKaig, Smith and Fitzpatrick, to bring in a bill to amend an act to incorporate the Cumberland Coal and Iron Company, passed at December session 1840.

On motion of Mr. Stansbury of Baltimore county,

Leave was granted Messrs. Stansbury of Baltimore county, Walker, Poultney, Welsh, and Carroll, to bring in a bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act for the incorporation of the Washington Lodge No. 1, of the order of Independent Odd Fellows in the State of Maryland.

On the motion of Mr. Poultney,

Ordered, That the committee on Inspections inform this House, what amount of tobacco is now in the State's ware houses, and how much of said tobacco is covered by insurance, and what is not insured; and in case any portion of tobacco in said warehouses be not covered by insurance, it is further ordered, that the committee cause the same to be insured.

Mr. Calvert chairman of the select committee, to which was referred the enquiry, "whether the Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland Steam Navigation Company and the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Company, have not forfeited their charters," delivered a report.

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Yellott,

Ordered to be printed.

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Mr. Yellott chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, made an unfavorable report upon the bill reported by Mr. Warfield, entitled, an act for the benefit of Rebecca H. Shipley of Howard District, of Anne Arundel county;

Which was twice read, the report concurred in, and the bill rejected.

Mr. Harrison from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act to allow Joel Thomas, former collector of taxes in Queen Anne's county, further time to complete his collections.

Mr. Lynch from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act for the relief the of heirs of Joseph West, of Frederick county.

Mr. Hearn from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act to alter the place of holding elections in the eighth or Nutter's district in Worcester county.

Mr. Franklin from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act confirming certain proceedings of justices of the peace of Worcester county;