

On motion of Mr. Williams, of Somerset,  
 Ordered, That it be entered on the journal, that Osborn Sprigg, Esq. of Prince George's county, is detained from this House by indisposition.

On motion of Mr. Harrison,

Leave was granted the Queen Anne's county delegation, to bring in a bill to give Washington Finley, late collector for State tax for 1841, and county tax for 1842, of Queen Anne's county, further time to complete his collections;

On motion of Mr. Archer,

Leave was granted the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to bring in a bill relating to the Attorney General, and his deputies.

On motion of Mr. Thomson,

Leave was granted the Corroll county delegation, to bring in a bill for the more equal distribution of the State's donation to academies in Carroll county.

On motion of Mr. Jump,

Ordered, That the committee on Agriculture, be instructed to inquire into the practicability of regulating by law, the charges made by the commission merchants in the city of Baltimore, and to establish some standard in proportion to the price or value of the different kinds of grain, sold by the said commission merchants in the city of Baltimore, and elsewhere in Maryland.

Mr. Kilgour, chairman of the committee on Claims, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of William Freamer, of Washington county, asking that the forfeited recognizance of Otho King, and others, be paid over to him;

Which was twice read and concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Calvert,

Leave was granted the committee on Colored Population, to bring in a bill for the relief of A. H. C. Heishell.

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

The House took up for consideration, the bill reported by him as chairman of the committee on Corporations entitled, a supplement to an act relating to the Citizens' Bank of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. Calvert,

Said bill was amended by adding at the end thereof, as an additional section the following:

"And be it enacted, That the Legislature reserves the right at any time to alter, amend or repeal this law;"

The said bill was then read the second time as amended, passed, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Randall from the select committee reported a bill entitled, an act to establish an arbitration system, and cheap administration of justice in this State;

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Kilgour,

Referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.