

ferred the bill entitled, an act for the condemnation of a certain lot of ground in Dorchester county, at or near the Upper ferry of Taylor's island, for the use of a ferryman, and for other purposes, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second and by special order the third time, passed and returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Brown from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act providing for the appointment of commissioners to divide Carroll county into election districts, reported that the committee had had said bill under consideration and were of opinion it ought to pass with the following amendments,

Which were read and assented to:

Strike out the words "William Houck," in the first line, and insert in lieu thereof "William McElvain."

Strike out in the second line the words "Nicholas Kelly," and insert in lieu thereof "Joseph Steel"

In the 10th line, first section, strike out the words "are to make choice of," and insert in lieu thereof the words "shall designate."

In the second line of 3d section, between the words "or" and "any" insert "from."

In the fourth line 4th section, at the end thereof, strike out the word "the" and insert "they."

In the fifth line same section, strike out the word "commissioners."

The bill was then read the second and by special order the third time and passed.

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following bills:

A bill entitled, an act to change the terms of Prince George's county court,

Which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Bowie, Kent and Hambleton.

A bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the infant children of Silius M. Jones of Charles county, deceased,

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on invalid deeds and defective proceedings.

The bill entitled, an act relating to charges for transportation on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, was being read the second time, when

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The following amendment was read: