of Samuel Thompson of the city of Baltimore, reported favorably thereon.

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

Mr. Goldsborough from the committee on colored population, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to authorise William B. Scott of St. Mary's county, to bring into this State certain negroes therein named, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second, and by special order the third

time, pased and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Goldsborough from the committee on colored population, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to authorise Samuel McBride to bring into this State a slave

for a term of years, and

The bill entitled, an act to authorise Hyland B. Pennington of Baltimore city, to bring into this state a slave for a term of years, reported that the committee had had said bills under consideration and were of opinion they ought not to pass.

They were severally read the second and by special order the third time, rejected and returned to the house

of delegates.

Mr. Ricaud from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act for building a bridge over St. Joseph's Run in St. Mary's county, 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:

In the 4th line 1st section, strike out the words "commonly called St. Joseph's Run," and insert "known as the head waters of St. Clement's Bay."

After the word "act" in the title of the bill, strike out the residue of the title and insert "to authorise the building of a bridge therein mentioned in St. Mary's county."

The bill was then read the second and by special order the third time, passed and returned to the House of Dele-

gates.

The bill entitled, an act to divorce Sarah Anne Sears of Calvert county, from her husband Robert Sears, was read the third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Wright from the committee on insolvency, to which