

Determined in the negative.

The said bill was then read the second time and passed.

The bill from the Senate, entitled, an act for the relief of the heirs and devisees of Dr. Elisha J. Hall, late of Baltimore county, deceased, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and passed.

Mr. Boyd moved that the house adjourn;

Determined in the negative.

The bill reported by Mr. Darby, entitled, a supplement to an act to limit the setting of the commissioners of the tax in Montgomery county, passed at December session 1835, ch. 34, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and passed.

The bill reported by Mr. Iglehart, entitled, an act to authorise the clerk of Anne Arundel county court to record certain deeds therein mentioned, and to make said deeds valid, was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr McLean, said bill was amended by adding at the end thereof the following proviso;

“Provided that nothing in this act shall be construed to affect any judgment, creditor, or purchaser, who shall have obtained any such lien since the execution of such deed or deeds, nor any rights under any such judgment, mortgage, or purchase;”

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

The bill reported by Mr. Tuck, chairman of the committee on colored population, entitled, an act for the relief of negro George Hayman, was taken up for consideration, read the second time and passed.

On motion of Mr Crisfield, the title of said bill was amended by adding thereto the words, “of Somerset county.”

On motion of Mr. Richardson, the house took up for consideration the unfavourable report of the committee on divorces, upon the petition of James Sinclair of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from his wife Mary Ann Sinclair.

Mr. Richardson, then offered as a substitute for said report,

A bill, entitled, an act to divorce James Sinclair, from his wife Mary Ann Sinclair;

Which was read the first and second time by special order;

Mr. Alexander, moved to amend said bill by inserting as the preamble thereof, the following,

Whereas it has been alledged in the petition of James