

The committee on the coloured population, to whom were referred two communications from Joseph Husband, of Harford county, on the subject of slavery in this State, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report, that it is inexpedient and unnecessary to legislate upon the subject of those communications; they therefore pray to be discharged from their further consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. H. Tuck, Chair'n.

Which was read the first, and by special order the second time, and concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Simmons,

The house took up for consideration the resolution submitted by him on the 15th instant, in favour of R. C. Long, Esqr., of the city of Baltimore;

The said resolution was then read the second time, and the question put, will the house assent to said resolution?

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Ridgely,

Ordered, That when this house adjourns, it stand adjourned sine die.

Mr. Hopewell submitted the following resolution,

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to Edward Thompson, the sum of five dollars for his services as an extra committee clerk,

Which was read the first, and by special order the second time, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Kerr moved that the house take up for consideration the resolution submitted by Mr. Tuck, on the 16th inst. in relation to an index to the laws and resolutions from 1832 to 1836,

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Ordered, that he have leave to withdraw from the files of the house, the petition of Benjamin Silver and others, of Darlington, in Harford county.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act for the appointment of lime inspectors for the city of Baltimore, endorsed 'will pass,' ordered to be engrossed;

Also, the resolution in favor of the committee clerks;

Also, the resolution authorising the Governor and Council to appoint Commissioners for purposes therein mentioned;