

TUESDAY, January 19, 1864.

"The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following bills :

A bill entitled, "An Act to repeal sections 134 and 135 of Article eighth of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to free negroes in Cecil county ;"

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Tome, Carroll and Purnell.

"An Act to amend the 22nd, Article of the Code of Public Local Law, relating to Worcester county ;"

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on Judicial Proceedings.

"An Act to add new sections to Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Law for Anne Arundel county, to authorize the county commissioners of said county, in certain cases to levy taxes to build school houses ;"

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on Education.

"An Act to incorporate the Meridith's Ford and Jarrettsville Turnpike Company in Baltimore and Harford counties."

A bill entitled, An Act to incorporate the Woodsboro and Pipe Creek Turnpike Company ;"

Which were severally read the first time and referred to the committee on Corporations.

"An Act to authorize the opening of a road in Carroll and Howard counties ;"

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on Internal Improvements.

"An Act entitled, An Act for the relief of Charles Shipley ;"

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Given, Willis and Eichelberger.

Also, returned the following bills, severally "endorsed, passed by yeas and nays."

The bill entitled, "An Act granting the assent of the Legislature to a bequest of a legacy, made in the last will and testament of Jacob Landis, late of Carroll county, deceased, to the congregation of the church of the Ascension, in Westminster, Carroll county, Maryland, and to the vestry building committee of members of the new Episcopal church or chappel recently built in Uniontown, Carroll county."