A bill entitled, an act to divorce Alice Green of Prince George's county, from her husband Thomas Green,

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

divorces.

A bill entitled, an act for the encouragement of Primary schools in Calvert caunty,

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Beckett,

Kent and Bruce.

And returned the bill which originated in the Senate entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to incorporate the Trustees of Prince Fredericktown academy, in Calvert county, endorsed "will

pass."

Mr. Ricaud and Mr. Lee, who had been appointed conjointly with a committee of the house of delegates, to invite His Excellency the Governor to attend in the Senate Chamber this afternoon at 4 o'clock, to sign the laws that have been passed during the present session, retired, and after a time returned and reported that they had discharged the duty assigned them, and had been requested by His Excellency to say, he would attend at the appointed hour.

Mr. Goldsborough from the committee on colored population, to which was referred the petition of Ruth Hudson, for authority to set free certain slaves, reported that the committee were of opinion the

prayer of said petitioner ought not to be granted,

Which report was concurred in.

Mr. Cottman from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act for the preservation of wild fowl in the waters of Smith's island, and its vicinity, in Somerset county, reported that the committee were of opinion it ought to pass with the following amendments,

Which were read and assented to:

1st section 6th line, strike out the words "five hundred" and in-

sert the word "fifty."

2d section 3d line, strike out "five hundred" and insert "fifty;" and in the 5th line of the same section, strike out "one hundred" and insert "ten;" and in the 8th line same section, strike out the words "the levy court" and insert the word "commissioners"

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

time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The Senate proceeded to consider the report and resolutions submitted by Mr. Bowie on Monday last,

They were being read the second time, when

Mr. Cottman moved to amend the report by striking out all the report after the word "recommend," and inserting, "that a commissioner shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, who shall proceed to the State of Pennsylvania, for the purposes indicated in the message."