

It was being read the second time, and

On motion of Mr. Brown,

Amended by inserting after the word "be" in the second line, the words "and she is hereby declared to be divorced from her husband John H. Becker, a vinculo matrimonii."

On motion of Mr. Hambleton,

The bill was then read the second and by special order the third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Jones from the committee on corporations to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Somerset Silk Company, reported that the committee were of opinion it ought to pass with the following amendment,

Which was read and assented to.

Ad as an additional section:

And be it enacted, That nothing in this act contained, shall be construed to authorise the said company to exercise banking privileges, or to issue any note in the nature of a bank note, or certificate of deposit payable to bearer.

The bill was then read the second and by special order the third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Hambleton from the committee on divorces, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to divorce John Jacobs of Frederick county, from his wife Christiana Jacobs, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time.

Mr. Beckett from the committee on the militia, to which was referred the resolution requiring the armorer to deliver to captain Henry S. Sanderson certain arms therein mentioned, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second and by special order the third time, assented to and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Hambleton from the committee on divorces, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to divorce Jane G. Hoyot of the city of Baltimore, from her husband Thomas J. Hoyot, reported favorably thereon.

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

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following resolutions:

A resolution relating to Wetipquin academy, and Franklin school in Somerset county, and

A resolution relating to the Cokesbury academy in Somerset county,

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

Also the following bills:

A bill entitled, an act for the incorporation of the Great Council of Maryland of the Improved Order of Red Men,