

poses therein mentioned, passed at November session 1810, was read the second time by special order, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill from the senate, entitled, An act to confirm and make valid the title of James Cudjo, Edward Cudjo, and Richard Cudjo, of Kent county, to a certain lot of land therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and returned to the senate.

The house according to the order of the day proceeded to the second reading of the bill from the senate, entitled. An act concerning the judgments and judicial proceedings of the courts of justice in this state, and to provide for the completion of the records in certain cases.

On motion by Mr. Kell, the question was put, That the words "except such as from the proceedings shall appear to have been founded upon possession only" be inserted after the word "freight" in the 5th section? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Kell, the question was put, To strike out the word "fifty" in the first line of the 10th page for the purpose of inserting "one hundred?" Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Stevens, the question was put, That the house reconsider the first section of the bill? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Stevens, the question was then put, That the words "and court of appeals of the eastern shore" be inserted after the word "shores" in the third line of the 1st section? Determined in the negative.

The bill having been read throughout, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and the bill returned to the senate.

The report on the memorial of Robert Lloyd Tilghman, and others, the executors of James Earle, was read the second time, concurred with, the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Bradford, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the trustees of the Baltimore Foundling Hospital. Ordered, That Messrs. Bradford, Price and Kell, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The bill for the relief of the heirs of Lawrence O'Neale, was read the second time by special order, passed and sent to the senate.

The amendments proposed by the senate to the bill, entitled, An act for the relief of the poor of Caroline county, were read the second time, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill authorising the levy court of Calvert county to levy a sum of money on the assessable property of said county for the purposes therein mentioned; the bill to empower the county court of Queen-Anne's county to divide the real estate therein mentioned; the supplement to an act for the promotion of literature in this state; the supplement to an act for the distribution of a certain fund for the purpose of establishing free schools in the several counties therein mentioned; the bill for the relief of Rezin Wilcoxon of Montgomery county, and the bill relating to the public roads in Worcester county, severally endorsed, will pass. Ordered to be engrossed. The supplement to the act to prevent the inconveniencies arising from slaves being permitted to act as free, endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendments; which amendments were read, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed. And the bill to authorise the levy court of Frederick county to increase the pay of the overseer of the poor in said county, endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendment; which amendment was read, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed. A bill, entitled, An act to establish an academy at Libertytown in Frederick county, and a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned, passed at November session 1810, severally endorsed, passed by the senate February 3, 1818; which were read. Also a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act authorising a lottery to raise a sum of money for the improvement of the navigation of Corsica Creek in Queen Anne's county, endorsed, passed by the senate February 4, 1818; which was read. And the bill to provide for building bridges over Patuxent river, endorsed, will pass with the proposed amendment; which amendment was read.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a wharf at the town of Cambridge in Dorchester county; which was read.

Mr. Price delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of William Merryman; which was read.

Mr. Jenifer delivers a bill, entitled, An act to increase the pay of the judges of the orphans court for the several counties therein mentioned; which was read.

Mr. Showers delivers a bill, entitled, An act to repeal the act, entitled, An act securing to the sheriff of Baltimore county the gaol fees of certain insolvent debtors; which was read.

Mr. Digges delivers a bill, entitled, An act to impose a tax on the office of discount and deposit of the bank of the United States established in the state of Maryland; which was read.

Mr. Brawner delivers a bill, entitled, An act to regulate and licence sales at auction in the city and precincts of Baltimore: which was read and made the order of the day for Saturday next.

The bill for the relief of Thomas Duvall of Prince George's county, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall the said bill pass? Determined in the negative.

Mr. Schnebly delivers a petition from Henry Christ, of Washington county, praying that his title to a house and lot in said county may be confirmed; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Wilson delivers a bill, entitled, An act relating to the collection of the public arms; which was read. The house proceeded to the second reading by special order of the said bill.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the question was put, That the blank in the bill be filled up with the word "twenty?" Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Blakistone, the question was put, That the said blank be filled up with the word "fifteen?" Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill having been read throughout, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the senate.

Mr. Schnebly delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Henry Christ, of Washington county; which was read.

On motion by Mr. Tenant, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands. Ordered, That Messrs. Tenant, Kell and Martin, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Washington from the committee delivers the following report:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Henry King, having taken the same into consid-