

Mr. Worthington presents a petition from Benjamin Wilson, and others, praying a change in part of the 10th and 11th election districts in Baltimore county; referred to Messrs. Worthington, Turner and M'Culloh.

Mr. Mitchell presents a petition from the parishioners of Worcester Parish, in Worcester county, praying that the parish may be established at Berlin, in said county; referred to Messrs. Mitchell, S. R. Smith and Parker.

Mr. Thomas reports a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to reduce into one the several acts of assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections.

Mr. Howard reports a bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act declaring what shall be evidence in certain cases therein mentioned.

Mr. Millard reports a bill, entitled, An act to divorce John T. Shanks, and Lydia Shanks his wife, of Dorchester county.

Mr. Howard reports a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the better regulation of the militia of the city of Baltimore.

Mr. Speed delivers the following report:

The committee who were appointed with instructions to inquire into the condition of the several apartments, rooms and chambers, of the state house, beg leave to report the following resolution, relative to repairs, which in the judgment of your committee, are absolutely necessary, they therefore most strongly recommend the adoption of said resolution.

J. J. Speed, Chairman.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised, to pay out of any unappropriated monies now in the treasury, a sum not exceeding four hundred dollars, to the order of the executive, to be expended, under their direction, for such repairs as may be found necessary to stop or prevent a leak, which it appears to this house now exists, either in the roof or dome of the state house; and in purchasing such desks, tables, chairs, and other furniture, as may in their judgment be necessary for the chamber now occupied by the court of appeals.

The resolution in favour of John. S. Moffitt, was read the second time and dissented from.

Mr. Tyson obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act incorporating into one the several acts relating to constables fees; referred to the committee of grievances and courts of justice.

On motion by Mr. Millard, the following resolution was read the first and second time and assented to.

Whereas the recent alarming fire at the old methodist meeting house, lately occupied as a printing office, has endangered the safety of the state-house, and the treasury office: And whereas it is ascertained that said building is now upon the public property, and in a state of decay, therefore,

Resolved, That the governor be and he is hereby requested, to cause the said house to be removed at as early a day as possible.