

thorise warranting on constable's bonds. Ordered, That Messrs. Hughes, Millard and Perry, report the same.

Mr. Estep presents a petition from a number of landholders of Anne-Arundel county, praying that a law may pass prescribing the manner of enclosing lands, and relating to trespasses committed by stock; referred to the committee on similar petitions.

On motion by Mr. Merrick, the following resolution was twice read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

Resolved, That the time for paying into the treasury, the balance of money due this state, by the collectors of Prince George's county, agreeably to the provisions of an act, entitled, An act to provide a revenue for the support of the government of this state, be and the same is hereby extended to the first day of June next, any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Mr. Samuel R. Smith delivers the following report:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of James B. Robins, of Worcester county, have had the same under consideration, and report—That the prayer of the petitioner is reasonable, and ought to be granted, and therefore recommend the passage of the accompanying bill.

By order,

Wm. H. Emory, Clk.

Which was read.

And a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of James B. Robins, of Worcester county; which was twice read by special order, passed, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Boon reports a bill, entitled, An act to make valid a deed of manumission executed by William Moffitt, late of Kent county, deceased.

Mr. Harlan delivers the following report:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry inhabitants of Cecil county, praying the limits of the village of Port Deposit may be extended, have had the same under consideration and beg leave to report—

That in the opinion of your committee, the prayer of the petitioners ought not to be granted; they therefore recommend that the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition.

By order,

Isaac Hines, Clk.

Which was read.

Mr. Maxcy reports a bill, entitled, An act to repeal certain acts of assembly relative to americiaments, and to lay a tax on plaintiffs who may institute actions at law in the several county courts of this state.

Mr. Howard reports a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of the banks therein mentioned.

The amendments to the bill to incorporate the Pennsylvania, Delaware, and Maryland steam navigation company, were read the second time, and the question put, That the house assent to the first amendment.

Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the house assent to the 2d amendment?