

Also a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Nancy Vissage, wife of James Vissage, of Harford county; which was read the first time, and referred to Messr Chambers, Cockey and Claude.

Also a bill entitled a further additional supplement to the act entitled, an act to estalish the line between Frederick and Washington counties, passed November session, eighteen hundred and ten, chapter six; which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Also a bill entitled an act to change the name of Octavius Wilkinson and Gorge Wilkinson, of Calvert county, to the name of Octavius Wilkinson Bowen and George Wilkinson Bowen, and for other purposes; which read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Scott, Dickinson and Bowie.

Also a bill entitled an act to authorise the levy court of Frederick county to levy a sum of money to purchase a tract of land and build a house thereon for the use of paupers, and to sell the present poor house of said county, and for other purposes; which was read the first time and laid on the table.

And returned the bill entitled, an act relating to suits on bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other negotiable instruments, endorsed, "will pass."

On motion, Messrs Johnson and Brownley were appointed additional members of the standing committee on divorce bills.

Mr. Scott from the committee to whom was referred the bill authorising the recording of the deed therein mentioned, reported that the committee had had the same under consideration, and were of opinion that it ought not to pass. The bill was then read the second and by special order the third time, and will not pass.

Mr. Claude from the committee to whom was referred the bill for the relief of Elizabeth Winters, of Frederick county, reported that the committee had had the same under consideration, and were of opinion that it ought to pass. The bill was then read the second, and by special order the third time, and will pass.

Mr. Scott from the committee reported a bill entitled an act to authorise the use of the testimony of the parties as witnesses in trials at law; which was read the first time and laid on the table:

The senate adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Thursday, January 19th, 1826.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message; which was read.