

Also, a bill entitled an act to authorise the sale of the real estate therein mentioned; which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Scott, Miller and Bowie.

Also, a bill entitled an act to confirm a deed of conveyance therein mentioned; which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Scott, Johnson and Tilghman.

Also, a bill entitled an act for changing part of the divisional line between Dorchester and Caroline counties; which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Orrell, Thomas and Dickinson.

Also a bill entitled an act to authorise the levy court of Frederick county, to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned; which was read the first time and laid on the table.

The senate proceeded to the consideration of the bill to incorporate the Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland Steam Navigation company, with the amendments, heretofore proposed thereto;—the same being the order of the day. The bill and amendments having been read, the question was put, will the senate adopt the first amendment as proposed; being to strike out the word "fifteenth," for the purpose of inserting "twenty fifth," in the fifth line of the fourth section? Determined in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Bowie, the question was then put, will the senate strike out all that follows the words "and be it enacted," in the first line of the seventeenth section, to the word "states" in the sixth line.

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Brownley
Johnson
Miller

Orrell
Quinton

Scott
Thomas—7

NEGATIVE.

Stewart, Pres't.
Bowie

Claude

Dickinson—4

Determined in the affirmative.

The question was then put, "will the senate strike out from the word "and in the sixth line of the seventeen section, to the end of the section" Determined in the affirmative.

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

The resolution relative to the state's claim against the United States, was read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.