

Ordered, That Messrs. Montgomery, Sappington and Emory be a committee to prepare and report the same.

Mr. Sappington, from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to incorporate Mount Nabo public school, in Frederick county, reported favorably thereon.

The bill was then read the second, and by special order the third time and passed.

The resolution in favor of the heirs of Thomas Parran, a revolutionary soldier, was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading, and being accordingly engrossed, it was read the third time and assented to.

On motion of Mr. Sappington,

The bill entitled, an act to divorce John Barks, and Mary his wife, was read the third time and passed.

The resolution authorising the Librarian to dispose of the surplus books in the state library, with the amendments heretofore reported, were taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Mayer, the following amendments were offered as a substitute for said amendments:

In the 50th line, after the word "books," insert the words "except the reports of decisions by Harris and Gill, and by Gill and Johnson, and the copies of M'Mahon's history of Maryland."

Strike out the 6th line of the resolution and the words "reports and documents," in the 7th line, and insert the words "reserving twenty-five copies of all the laws, reports and documents which under this resolution may be exchanged or otherwise disposed of."

The question was then put, "will the senate receive the substitute?" and it was determined in the affirmative.

The question was then put, "will the senate assent to the amendments?" and it was determined in the affirmative.

The resolution was then read the third time and assented to.

Mr. Claude presented the petition of Allen Thomas of Anne Arundle county; which was read and referred to Messrs. Claude, Emory and Dennis.

Mr. Sappington from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to incorporate Mechanics Town, in Frederick county, reported favorably thereon. The bill was then read the second, and by special order the third time and passed.