

Mr. Wootton from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act authorising the establishment of a ferry from the lands of George M. Chichester in Montgomery county, over the Potomac, nearly opposite the lower end of Black Walnut Island, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time.

Mr. Wootton from the committee to which was referred a bill entitled, an act to authorise the repair of a bridge therein mentioned, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time:

Mr. Mayer presented the memorial of James Bosley, in reply to the counter memorial of the proprietors of the Susquehanna canal,

Which was read and referred to the committee on judicial proceedings.

Mr. Wootton from the committee on internal improvement, to which was referred a bill entitled, a further supplement to an act to incorporate the Baltimore and Susquehanna rail road Company, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time,

And on motion of Mr. Wootton made the order of the day for Thursday next, the 9th inst.

On motion of Mr. Morris the message submitted by him on the 14th of February last, in answer to the message of the house of delegates, relative to an increased direction on the part of the state in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, was read,

And on motion of Mr. Pigman the message submitted by him of the same date, as a substitute, was read,

On motion of Mr. Mayer the message and substitute were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Mayer from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act for the relief of George Fouke and Elizabeth his wife, and Henry and Lewis Fouke, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time.

The bill entitled, an act relating to appeals from the county courts was progressing in the second reading, when