

A bill entitled, a further supplement to the act directing the manner of suing out attachments in this province and limiting the extent of them.

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

A bill entitled, an act for the relief of Mary Ann Paxton of Frederick county.

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Sappington, Morris and Dennis.

And returned the bill which originated in the senate entitled, a further supplement to the act entitled, an act concerning crimes and punishments, endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendments."

Which amendments were read and adopted, and were as follows:

Insert after the title of the bill the following as the first section:

"Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act, no contract for the supply or victualling of the penitentiary shall be made by the executive committee, unless they shall give public notice, in all the daily papers published in the city of Baltimore, for at least one week before they close any such contract, setting forth the quantity and quality of the provisions which will be required, and inviting in said notice, sealed proposals to be presented to them for furnishing the same, and they shall make the said contract with such person or persons as shall propose to furnish the said provisions on the terms most favorable to the institution.

Insert in the 1st section of the bill "and" before the words 'Be it enacted,' and strike out the words "by the General assembly of Maryland." Strike out the words 'two or more' in the 5th line of same section and insert the words "all the daily"—in same line strike out the words 'daily.'

In the sixth line after the word "Baltimore" insert the words "for one week."

In 9th line after the word "required" insert the words "and setting forth the quantity and quality of the same."

Make the same section the 2d section of the bill.

Also the bill which originated in the senate entitled,