

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following resolutions.

A resolution in favor of the late Thomas Osborn, former sheriff of Prince Georges county.

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

A resolution in favor of Benjamin Hopkins,

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Wootton, Claude and Wilson.

Also a bill entitled, an act to authorise Albert Baule, a free man of color of the state of Virginia, to remove into and reside in the state of Maryland.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on colored population.

The bill entitled, an act to make valid a deed therein mentioned.

Was read the third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

The President announced the order of the day, being the bill entitled, an act to alter and amend certain parts of the constitution and form of government.

The bill was being read the second time, when

On motion of Mr. Sappington,

The following amendment was read and dissented from.

Strike out in the 1st section after the word "shall" in the 2nd line to the word "government," in the 4th line and insert, the words "be elected on the 1st Monday of October by the voters qualified to vote for members of the house of delegates."

On motion of Mr. Emory,

The following amendments were read and assented to.

In the 5th line of the 3rd section,