

The President appointed Mr. Groome to fill the vacancy so occasioned.

Mr. Sappington from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to authorise the drawing of a lottery or lotteries in Middletown in Frederick county, passed at November session 1809, chapter 64, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time.

Mr. Pigman from the committee on judicial proceedings to which the leave was granted, reported a bill entitled, an act vesting certain powers in Baltimore county court.

Which was read the first and by special order the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Groome from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act authorising the levy court of Kent county, to levy a sum of money on the assessable property of the said county, to erect a bridge over the head waters of Langford's Bay, at or near Shaw's Mills, reported that the committee had had said bill under consideration, and were of opinion it ought to pass with the following amendment:

Which was read and assented to:

Strike out the words "in the Chestertown Enquirer," and insert the words "in some newspaper published in said county."

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

On motion of Mr. Morris,

The bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act for the benefit of the heirs of John Hendersen, late of the city of Baltimore, deceased.

Was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.