

declared to apply to said ten directors and their election; provided that this act shall have no force nor effect unless it shall be accepted by a majority of the members of said corporation, authorised to vote for directors, at a general meeting called for that purpose."

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

Mr Mayer from the committee on judicial proceedings to which was referred the bill entitled, an act prohibiting justices of the peace from exercising their magisterial duties in bar rooms of taverns and other public houses of that character, so far as relates to Baltimore county, reported, that the committee had had said bill under consideration, and were of opinion it ought to pass with the following amendments:

Which were read and assented to.

1st section, 4th line, strike out the word "magisterial." Same line, after "duties," insert "as justice or justices of the peace in civil matters."

5th line, strike out the words "except that of commanding the peace."

In the title of the bill strike out "magisterial" and insert "civil."

The bill was then read the second time.

Mr. Mayer, from the committee on invalid deeds and defective proceedings, to which was referred the bill, entitled, An act, to authorise the clerk of Prince George's County Court, to record a deed therein mentioned, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second and by special order the third time, passed, and returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Mayer, from the committee on judicial proceedings, to which was referred the bill, entitled, An act, for the relief of Edward W. Belt, former sheriff of Prince George's county, reported favourably thereon.

It was read the second, and by special order the third time, passed, and returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Mayer, from the committee on invalid deeds, and defective proceedings, to which was referred the bill, entitled, An act, for the relief of Evan Morris, (an alien)