

Was read the third time, assented to and returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Emory from the committee on colored population to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to authorise Samuel Latimore of Charles county, to bring into this state a negro slave therein named, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time, and

On motion of Mr. Mayer,

Ordered to lie on the table.

The bill entitled, an act for the better regulation of the militia of the city of Baltimore,

Was being read the second time, when

On motion of Mr. Mayer,

The following amendments were read:

Strike out the 5th section and insert the following,

“That the 5th regiment of volunteer Infantry and the 5th regiment of Cavalry, compose the 1st Light Brigade, that the 1st regiment of Riflemen and the 1st regiment of Artillery compose the 16th Brigade; and that the 1st Light Brigade and the said 16th Brigade, constitute the 5th Division.”

In the 1st line of the 7th page and 2nd part of the 13th section, insert the word “sixteenth” after the word “the” and strike out the words “of City Guards.”

37th section, 5th line, fill the blank with the word “five.”

In the 27th line of the 69th section, insert after the words “of Baltimore City Court,” “or any associate judge thereof.”

In the 28th line same section after the words “of Baltimore County Court,” insert “or any associate judge thereof.”

Add the following as the 78th section:

“And be it enacted, that the provisions of this act shall not extend or apply to the Brigade of City Guards organised by act of the present session, except in case of foreign invasion.”

The bill was then read through and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The following communication was received from His Excellency Governor Veazey, by the hands of Thomas Culbreth, Esq. Clerk of the Council,

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