

titled an act to authorize John Mactavish to act as Trustee in the case therein mentioned, and to hold land as tenant by the courtesy,

Which was read the first time.

The bill entitled an additional Supplement to the Act, entitled an Act, for erecting a Bridge over Choptank River at Dover Ferry, passed December Session, 1810, chapter 112, was read the third time, passed and returned to the House of Delegates

The clerk of the House of Delegates, delivered the following bills:

A bill entitled an act for the relief of Joseph S. Merrikin and Edward A. Slicer, of the city of Baltimore and David S. Reynolds of Washington County,

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

A Bill entitled, an Act, for the Incorporation of St. Tammany Lodge, No. 25 of the Order of Independent Odd Fellows, in Queen Anne's County,

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Emory, Wilson and Mayer.

A Bill entitled, an act, to divorce Susan Foreman, from her husband John S. Foreman,

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

A bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Elk Ridge Landing Lyceum,

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

Mr. Mayer from the committee on Judicial proceedings, to which was referred the bill, entitled, an act, for the speedy trial of misdemeanors in the city of Baltimore, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time.

Mr. Claude submitted the following message:

Which was read and adopted:

By the Senate,

February 18th, 1836.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message of yesterday, proposing the appointment of a joint Committee, to take into consideration, so much of the late Executive Message as relates to fanatic Abolitionists, and all the communications on the same subject, from the Executives of our sister States, and concur therein.