

Mr. Wilson from the committee on colored population to which was referred the bill entitled, a further supplement to an act entitled, a supplement to an act relating to free negroes and slaves, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second time.

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

A bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to lay out and make a public road in Allegany county,

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

A bill entitled, an act to divorce Eliza Anne Boyd, of Kent county, from her husband James Boyd.

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

And returned the bill which originated in the Senate, entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to incorporate the Commercial Exchange Company of Baltimore, endorsed "will pass."

Mr. Claude presented the memorial of Edward L. Nicholson, and Margaret his wife, Benjamin Harwood, Richard Harwood and Thomas S. Alexander, for a special act for the settlement of the estate of Richard Harwood of Thomas, deceased.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Claude, Pigman and Wilson.

Mr. Pigman presented the memorial of John Reynolds of Allegany county, praying that a certain case may be entered on the trial Docket of the Court of Appeals.

Which was read and referred to the committee on judicial proceedings.

Mr. Mayer from the committee on judicial proceedings to which was referred the bill entitled, an act relating to constables fees in Worcester county, and for other purposes, 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, 3d line after the words "six and a fourth cents," strike out "per mile in delivering," and insert "for each mile travelled in going to deliver."

At the end of the section add:

"In any case civil or criminal."

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