

tion of justice within this province, and to repeal the third section thereof, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Kemp, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to authorise Matthias Bartruffs, of Frederick-town, to propose a scheme or schemes of a lottery for the establishing a circulating library in Frederick-town; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. P. Stuart appeared in the house.

On the second reading of the bill for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, the question was put, That the following clause be stricken out of the said bill? "And provided, that any property which he shall thereafter acquire by gift, descent, or in his own right by bequest, devise, or in any course of distribution, shall be liable to the payment of the said debts." The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.							
McMrs.	R. Neale, A. Stuart, L. Dorsey.	Merriken, Holland, Moore,	Lemmon, Lloyd, Miller,	Moffit, Bowie, Van-Horn,	Burgefs, Shriver, Hawkins,	Forwood, Mafon, Tillotfon,	Scott, Dickfon, B. Tomlinfon.
N E G A T I V E.							
McMears	Hanfow, Thomas, Angier, Harwood, Estep,	P. Stuart, Jones, M'Pherfon, Stansbury, Rose,	Holbrook, Loves, Hyland, Dashiell, Goldfborough,	Steele, Wood, Carr, Quynn,	Lowrey, Quinton, Nelson, Kemp,	Lytle, Orrell, Douglafe, Cellar,	T. Davis, Veatch, J. Tomlinfon, Crefap.

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion, the question was put, That the name of Richard Wilfon be inserted in the said bill? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.							
McMrs.	R. Neale, Hebb, Thomas, Angier,	W. Dorsey, Holland, P. Stuart, Jones,	Love, Lloyd, Loves,	Dashiell, Bowie, Wood,	Van-Horn, Forwood, Lytle,	Orrell, Mafon, Smith,	Cellar, Veatch, Crefap.
N E G A T I V E.							
McMrs.	A. Stuart, Harwood, M'Pherfon,	Stansbury, Moore, Holbrook,	Hyland, Steele, Moffit,	Quynn, Lowrey,	Quinton, Hawkins,	Kemp, Douglafe,	T. Davis, B. Tomlinfon.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.							
McMrs.	R. Neale, Hebb, Hanfon, Thomas, A. Stuart, Angier, Harwood,	W. Dorsey, L. Dorsey, Holland, Estep, P. Stuart, Jones, M'Pherfon,	Stansbury, Moore, Lemmen, Love, Lloyd, Loves, Dashiell,	Moffit, Bowie, Wood, Carr, Van-Horn, Quynn,	Burgefs, Shriver, Hawkins, Kemp, Montgomery, Forwood,	E. Davis, Lytle, Orrell, Mafon, Tillotfon, Scott,	Dickfon, Smith, Cellar, T. Davis, Crefap, B. Tomlinfon.
N E G A T I V E.							
McMears		Holbrook,	Hyland,	Steele,	Lowrey,	Douglafe,	Veatch.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Scott, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to alter such parts of the declaration of rights, and such parts of the constitution and form of government, and every part of any law of this state, as require a declaration or subscription, or a declaration of belief in the Christian religion, and to declare the mode of administering an oath to any person of the sect of people called Jews; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

ORDERED, That the said bill have a second reading on Friday next.

A petition from Ebenezer Perkins, of Kent county, stating, that the state hath commenced suit against him, and praying the attorney-general may be directed to discontinue the same, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. A. Stuart, Mr. Scott and Mr. Goldfborough, to consider and report thereon.

A memorial from John Holkin Stone, respecting the property of King William school, in the city of Annapolis, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Quynn, Mr. Harwood, Mr. Ridgely, Mr. L. Dorsey and Mr. W. Dorsey, to consider and report thereon.

The amendments to the supplement to an act, entitled, An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners for the regulation and improvement of Cambridge, in Dorchester county, and to establish and regulate a market in said town, were read the second time, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. W. Dorsey, from the committee, delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, An act to enable the levy court of Anne-Arundel county to assess and complete the levy of said county for the year eighteen hundred and one, which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion, ORDERED, That the printer to the state strike one hundred copies of the act, entitled, An act to incorporate a company for establishing a turnpike road from the Burnt mill, about one mile below the mouth of George's creek, on the Patowmack river, to the nearest western navigation.