

were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table;

Also, the bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the Representatives of William Chilton, late of Caroline county, deceased, endorsed, "will not pass;"

And, delivered a bill, originated in, and passed by the Senate, entitled, [An act to authorise the Governor and Council, to appoint Directors of the Banks therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Cottman, Jenkins and Dudley;

Also, a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled An act to amend and reduce into one system the laws to direct descents;

Which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Ellicott obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to repeal part of an act, passed at December session, 1828, chapter 29;

Ordered, That Messrs. Ellicott, Duvall, of Anne Arundel, and Compton, report the same.

Mr. Harding obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act to allow Adam Robb, Executor of Upton Beall, late clerk of Montgomery county, farther time to complete certain records, passed at December session 1828, chapter 2;

Ordered, That Messrs. Harding, Willson and White, report the same.

Mr. Millar asked leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, An act to authorise William Smith of Charles county, to bring into this state, from the state of Virginia, certain negro slaves therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the colored population.

On motion by Mr Roberts,  
Ordered, That a petition of William Beck, of Queen Ann's county, presented December session, 1831, be withdrawn from the files of this house, and be referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justices.

On motion by Mr. Compton,  
Ordered, That the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims be instructed to inquire into the expediency of placing the name of John Taylor, of Anne Arundel county, a soldier of the revolution on the pension list of this state.