

The Speaker laid before the House, a report from the clerk of Cecil County Court, relative to the attendance of Judges.

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

On motion of Mr. Gantt, the House took up for consideration, the bill reported by him, entitled, An act to repeal an act, passed at December session, 1833, chapter 111;

Mr. Devecmon moved to amend said bill, by adding at the end thereof, as an additional section, the following:

"Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That nothing contained in this act, shall be so construed as to relate to Allegany county."

Mr. Hearn moved to lay said bill and amendment on the table;

Resolved in the affirmative.

The clerk of the Senate, delivered a bill originated in and passed by the Senate, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, an act to authorise the making a general alphabetical index of the land records of Baltimore county, from the year 1799, inclusive, and to keep up such index, henceforth;

Which was read, and referred to Messrs. Ely, Shower, and Orrick;

Also, a petition of sundry citizens of Somerset county, praying the passage of an act, authorising the levy court of said county, to levy a sum of money, for the purpose of erecting a new fire proof building, for the safe keeping of the records of said county, endorsed "by the Senate," referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates."

Which was read, and referred to Messrs Jones, of Somerset, Cottman and Dashiell.

Also, the documents accompanying the Governor's Message, referred by the Senate to the consideration of this House;

Which was read, and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Cottman reported a bill, entitled, An act to provide for the building of a public bridge across "Law's Thoroughfare" in Somerset county;

Which was read the first, and second time by special order, and passed.

On motion by Mr. Beckett,

Ordered, That the committee on claims, have leave to sit for the transaction of business, during the hours of the sitting of the House.