

The bill reported by Mr. Duvall, entitled, an act authorising the judges of the Levy Court of Frederick county, in their discretion, to levy a sum of money, to build a bridge over the Catoctin Creek, on the public road, leading from Middletown by the late John Schafers Mill, now David Ramsburgh's Mill, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate.

The bill reported by Mr. Carpenter, chairman of the committee on divorces, entitled, an act to divorce James Alford, of the city of Baltimore, from his wife Jane Alford, was taken up for consideration, and read the second time,

On the question being put, shall the said bill pass, It was determined in the negative.

The bill also reported by Mr. Carpenter, chairman of the committee on divorces, entitled, an act to divorce William Ford, of Montgomery county, from his wife Acenia Ford, was taken up for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Annan, said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill entitled an act for the relief of Allen Elder, of the city of Baltimore, endorsed, "will pass," ordered to be engrossed.

And delivered a bill, originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, an act for shutting up certain parts of Saint Paul's street, and of Lovegrove ally, in the city of Baltimore.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. McLean, Richardson and Ely.

Also, delivered a letter from John C. Henry, Esq. accepting his appointment as a member of the Executive Council, endorsed, referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates.

Which was read.

Mr. McLean, chairman of the select committee, to which was referred the bill from the senate, entitled, an act for shutting up certain parts of St. Paul's street and Lovegrove alley, in the city of Baltimore, reported the same without amendment,

The said bill was then read the second time by special order, passed, and returned to the senate.

Mr. Wharton, submitted the following order,

Ordered, That the committee on grievances and courts of justice, be instructed to inquire into the expediency of giving to the several county courts in this state, jurisdiction