

ceived, and by the Clerk to be made a matter of record— and no slave or their descendants introduced into Maryland by virtue of the provisions of this act, shall be manumitted or become free in this State, unless the person so manumitting him or her, shall furnish sufficient means and cause him or her to be removed from this State,

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Teackle, said amendment was amended, by adding at the end thereof these words, "as required by the existing laws of this State,"

The said amendment was then read the second time as amended, and assented to,

The question was then put, shall the said bill pass as amended,

Resolved in the affirmative.

The Clerk of the Senate returned the bill, entitled, an act further to continue an act passed at November session, 1795, entitled, an act to incorporate an Insurance Company in Baltimore town, endorsed, "will pass," ordered to be engrossed.

Also, the resolution in favour of Sarah Easton and Mary Holland, severally endorsed, assented to, and ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house took up for consideration the bill from the Senate, entitled, a further supplement to the act, entitled, an act to incorporate the Stockholders of the Marine Bank of Baltimore,

The said bill was then read the second time and passed.

The bill reported by Mr. Heard, chairman of the committee on coloured population, entitled, an act to authorise General Walker K. Armistead, of the United States Army, to bring into this State, certain negro slaves therein mentioned, was taken up for consideration,

When on motion of Mr. Merrick, said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

The bill reported by Mr. Wharton, entitled, an act to authorise the Commissioners of Washington county, and the moderator and commissioners of Hagerstown in said county, to levy a sum of money, for the purpose therein mentioned, was taken up for consideration,

When on motion of Mr. Newcomer, said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

The Clerk of the Senate, returned the bill, entitled, an act authorising the judges of the Levy court of Frederick county, in their discretion, to levy a sum of money to build