

The House took up for consideration the bills in order, entitled to a second reading ;

The first bill, in order, entitled to a second reading, is a bill entitled, an act to divorce Mary Ann Sherer, from her husband David N. Sherer, being the unfinished business of Saturday last ;

Also, the next bill in order, entitled to a second reading, is a bill reported by Mr. Bramwell, entitled, an act to make valid, and record a certain deed therein mentioned ;

Severally read the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

The next bill, entitled to a second reading, is the bill to restrain excessive usury ;

Read and made the order of the day for Friday next.

The resolutions in order, entitled to a second reading are,

A resolution in favor of Sarah Sansbury ;

Also, a resolution in favor of Henrietta M. Frazier.

On motion of Mr. Spencer,

Ordered to lie on the table ;

The House then took up for consideration, the resolution in favor of Sarah Moore, the next resolution, entitled to a second reading ; read the second time and assented to.

The first report in order, entitled to a second-reading, is the unfavorable report of the chairman of the committee on divorces, on the application of Rebecca M. Hooten.

On motion of Mr. Ristean,

Ordered to lie on the table.

The House then took up for consideration, the first order of the day, being the bill entitled, an act to confirm an act, for the establishment of a municipal jurisdiction over a part of Anne Arundel county, and to alter and change the Constitution of this State, so far as may be necessary to effect the same, passed at Dec. session 1838, ch. 22.

On motion of Mr. Ridgely,

The house was called and the door-keeper sent for the absent members.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

The house proceeded with the ordinary business of the session, in the absence of the door-keeper.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

The House took up for consideration the Message of the Governor, in relation to the publication of the Laws.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

Ordered that the same be referred to the committee on the Constitution.

The House took up for consideration the bill entitled, an act to protect the lives of persons travelling on Rail Roads, within the State of Maryland ;

Also, the bill entitled, an act relating to Notary Publics, Justices of the Peace, and other officers ;