

order the third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

The bill entitled an act concerning frauds and punishments, was read the third time, and

On motion of Mr. Mayer,

The bill was amended by striking out the words "frauds and punishments," and inserting the words "the punishment of frauds."

The bill was then read and sent to the house of delegates.

On motion of Mr. Mayer,

The bill entitled, an act for the advancement of justice, was read the third time, rejected and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Mayer from the committee to which was recommitted the bill entitled, an act to lessen the abuse of ardent spirits, reported that the committee had had said bill under consideration, and were of opinion it ought to pass with the following amendments,

Which were read and assented to.

At the end of the first section, add "except when the county court of the county, or Baltimore city court, in cases of licenses in the city of Baltimore, shall authorise the issuing of said license."

2d. Sec., strike out all of the section after the words "improperly with negroes," and insert "and no license to retail spirituous liquors shall be issued in the city of Baltimore, unless the same be authorised by Baltimore city court, when the court shall deem that the use of said license may be safely entrusted to the applicant thereof."

3rd Sec., strike out all of the section after the words "his or her house," in the third line, and insert "and in no house, whether occupied in whole or in parts by one or more tenants, shall such license authorise more than one bar or room to be kept in such house for sale of spirituous liquors."

Strike out the fourth section.

The bill was read the second and by special order the third time, passed, and returned to the house of delegates.

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following resolutions:

A resolution in favour of Benjamin Seegar and J. M. Faulkner, and