

The committee on grievances and courts of justice, to whom was referred the memorial of Henry Hyland, one of Judges the of the Orphan's court, of Somerset county, praying an amendment of the testamentary system, have had the same under consideration, and are of opinion, that legislation is unnecessary upon the subject to which the memorial refers. They, therefore, ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

All which is respectfully submitted.

WM. J. BLAKISTONE, Ch'n.

By order,

Th. Karney, jr. clk.

The committee on grievances and courts of justice, to whom was referred, an order of the house, requiring them to enquire into the expediency of establishing Magistrate's courts in the several counties of this State, for the trial of assaults and batteries, have had the same under consideration, and are of opinion, that it would be inexpedient to legislate on the subject. They, therefore, ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

All which is respectfully submitted.

WM. J. BLAKISTONE, Ch'n.

By order,

Th. Karney, jr. clk.

Which were severally read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Heard submitted the following resolution;

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore, be and he is hereby required, to credit the account of the state against Clement Mattingly, late collector of Saint Mary's county, with the sum of five hundred dollars, collected by G. N. Causin, Esq. Deputy Attorney General of the State for said County, of Richard H. Mills, Esq. administrator of said Mattingly, and which sum was paid over by G. N. Causin, Esq. to the States' accredited agent as per receipt, dated the 19th of July, 1828.

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Wright of Dorchester, reported a bill entitled, An act to authorize the Levy Court of Dorchester county, to appoint an additional Constable in the town of Cambridge, in said county.

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

Mr. Heard, chairman of the committee on the inspection