

Mr. Nicols obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, An act to alter the present manner of paying the keepers of the public ferries, in Dorchester county.

Ordered, that Messrs. Nicols, Ford and Richardson, report the same.

Mr. Merrick obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, An act to provide for the erection of a more substantial bridge over the head waters of the Wicomico river, at or near Allen's Fresh, in Charles county.

Ordered, that Messrs. Merrick, Hughes, and Carpenter, report the same.

Mr. Roberts, of Frederick, obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act to confirm an act, entitled, an act to alter and repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government, as relates to the division of Frederick county, into twelve election districts, and for other purposes, passed at December session, 1831, chapter 112.

Ordered, That Messrs. Roberts of Frederick, Annan, and Duvall, report the same.

Mr. Teackle submitted the following order,

Ordered, That a select committee to consist of seven members, be appointed by the chair, to consider upon the propriety of establishing a State Bank, and to inquire into the expediency of assenting to the provisions of a bill reported in Congress, which contemplates the distribution of a national currency, and the deposits of the moneys of the United States to institutions under the direction of the several States.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Bruff, ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, entitled, an act for the relief of William B. Buchanan, endorsed, "will pass," ordered to be engrossed;

And delivered the following messages,

By the Senate,
January 6th, 1835.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message, proposing on Thursday next at 12 o'clock, jointly to recommend by the senate and house of delegates, some gentleman as a suitable person to be commissioned by the Governor as Register of Wills for Kent county, and concur therein.

By order,

J. H. Nicholson, Clerk.