

the waters of this State, passed at December session 1833, chapter 254, reported that a majority of the committee were of opinion it ought to pass.

It was read the second time.

Mr. Purnell submitted the following message; which was read and adopted, and with the resolution to which it refers, (from the consideration of which the committee on finance was discharged,) was sent to the house of delegates.

By the Senate,

March 23, 1838.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We herewith return to your honorable body the resolution in favor of Battle Creek academy. The resolution proposes to take a part of the funds of two academies in Calvert county and therewith to endow Battle Creek academy—but the house seem te have fallen into a mistake, as to the amount heretofore directed to be paid to one of those academies, (Prince Frederick,) the resolution stating the amount which the said academy is now entitled to receive, at three hundred and sixty dollars, when in fact the said academy receives but three hundred dollars. The provisions of the resolution are presumed to have been effected by the error above mentioned. If the resolution be amended so as to correct the said error, and so as to divide the sums to which the two academies in said county are entitled by law, between the three academies provided by the resolution, it will be favorably considered by this body.

By order,

Jos. H. Nicholson, clk.

Mr. Wright, from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled an additional supplement to an act entitled an act to establish magistrates' courts in the several counties of this State, and to prescribe their jurisdiction, passed at December session 1835, so far as relates to Cecil county, reported favorably thereon.

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

The resolution in favor of the heirs of Colonel John H. Stone, was read the third time, dissented from and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Tidball from the committee to which was recommitted the bill entitled, a further additional supplement to an act entitled, a supplement to an act to reduce into one the several acts of assembly respecting elections and to regulate said elections, passed at December session 1832, chapter 275, reported that the committee had instructed him to withdraw said bill and report another with the same title instead thereof.

Which was read the first time.

The Senate adjourned until to-morrow morning ten o'clock.