

Also communicating bills, originated in, and passed, by the senate, entitled, An act relating to manumissions; which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Done, Tyson and Norris.

And, An act relating to the courts of equity in this state; which was also read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Stricker, Buchanan and Campbell. Whereupon, Mr. Stricker reported, that the committee have had the said bill under consideration, and are of opinion it ought to pass, without amendment. The said last mentioned bill was then read the second, and by a special order, the third time, considered and passed without amendment.

And the following message; which was read.

By the Senate, March 9th, 1827.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The senate have received your message proposing to invite his excellency the governor, on to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock, to sign the engrossed bills, and concur therewith.

We have appointed Messrs. Marriott and Rees to join the gentlemen named by your honourable body in the performance of such invitation.

By order.

Wm. Kilty, Clk.

The house then adjourned until this evening six o'clock.

SATURDAY EVENING, SIX O'CLOCK, March 10.

The house met, pursuant to adjournment. The speaker being in the chair, the roll was called; and the following members being present, answered to their respective names, to wit. Messrs. Hawkins, Millard, Gough, R. Thomas, Wilmer, Campbell, Boon, Ringgold, Stewart, Compton, Kent, Linthicum, Bourne, Somervell, M. Smith, Rogerson, J. Hughes, King, Price, McCulloch, Buchanan, Turner, Reyner, Denny, Banning, Done, Dennis, Gibbons, Teackle, Goldsborough, Wright, Griffith, Sullivan, J. W. Thomas, Harlan, Thompson, Maffitt, Beall, Peach, Du Val, Gantt, Speed, Crabb, Stevens, Winchester, Ridgeway, S. R. Smith, Slemaker, Bishop, Hitch, Barnes, Sappington, Farquhar, M'Ilhenny, Hope, Norris, Sutton, Montgomery, Keene, Hardcastle, Brown, Tyson, Stricker, Hall, Tidball, Newcomer, Fitzhugh, E. Hughes, Peter, Janes, Lansdale, Ridgely, Armstrong, Shaw.

The bill passed by this house to day, entitled, An additional supplement to the act concerning crimes and punishments, was sent to the senate for concurrence.

And the bills from the senate, entitled, An act regulating writs of error, and granting appeals to the court of appeals. And,