

second time, and assented to. Whereupon it was Ordered, That the two last mentioned bills be severally engrossed.

The clerk of the senate also returned the resolution respecting the claims of the surviving officers and soldiers of the revolution, endorsed, "assented to with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were severally read, and ordered to lie on the table.

And communicated a bill, originated in, and passed by, the senate, entitled, An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act for founding an University in the city or precincts of Baltimore, by the name of The University of Maryland; which was read by its title, and referred to Messrs. M^cMahon, Steuart of Baltimore, and Semmes.

Also a letter from the treasurer for the western shore, transmitting a copy of the annual report and account of the managers of the Washington Monument, in obedience to the act of December session 1824, chapter 125, section 2; which were severally read, and referred to the committee on ways and means.

And the following message; which was read:

By the Senate, January 30, 1828.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message proposing to postpone the appointment of bank directors on the part of the state until Wednesday next the 6th of February, and concur therein.

By order,

Wm. Kilty, Clk.

Mr. Steuart of Baltimore, chairman of the committee to whom was referred the bill from the senate, entitled, An act to incorporate The Lanvale Manufacturing Company, reported verbally that the committee have had the same under consideration, and were of the opinion it ought to pass without amendment. The said bill was then read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

The report of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, to whom was referred the petition of John H. Hays of St. Mary's county, made on the 28th instant, was taken up for consideration and read the second time; the said report was concurred in, and the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate for concurrence.

The bill reported by Mr. Thomas of Frederick, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act incorporating a company to make a turnpike road from the city of Frederick to Harper's Ferry, was then taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed without amendment, and sent to the senate for concurrence.

The house then proceeded to consider the bill, reported by Mr. Hooper, entitled, An act to alter the time of the meeting of the general assembly of this state, and for other pur-