

grossed and signed by themselves, and the Clerk and Secretary respectively; and that his Excellency, Thomas Swann, Governor of Maryland, on behalf of the two Houses, be requested to transmit the same to the Hon. Secretary of the Navy.

Which were read a first time.

Mr. Herbert (the rules being suspended,) submitted the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, incorporated by and existing under the laws passed by the State of Virginia, the General Government of the United States, and the State of Maryland, is a private corporation, the management of the interests, and superintendence of the affairs of which, by law, is entrusted to the President and Directors of the said Company, over whose action this General Assembly has no control, therefore

*Resolved*, That it is the duty of the said President and Directors, as it is their right to locate the office of the said Company at such places as in their judgment will best promote the interests of the said Company.

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

The Secretary of the Senate returned the bill entitled an Act to repeal section 92 of Article 17, of Public Local Laws for Queen Anne's county, and sections 1, 92 and 2 of the Act of 1867, chapter 421, relating to Justices of the Peace and Constables in the aforesaid county.

Endorsed, "Passed by yeas and nays."

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Baltimore city,

At 2½ o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock, M.