Excellency, the Governor, to extend an invitation to the Hon Horatio Seymour, Hon. R. B. Rosevelt, and Seth Green, Esq., to visit Annapolis and address the Legislature upon the subject of fish, their cultivation, preservation, &c., some evening that may be convenient to them.

We have named on the part of the House, Messrs. Chap-

man, Merrick and McLane.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD, Chief Clerk.

Which was read.

Also, the following message:

By the House of Delegates, February 9, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, the appointment of a Committee consisting of three on the part of this House, and two on the part of the Senate, to confer upon proposed Senate amendments to House bill entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 170, Article 30, Public General Laws, entitled "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title, "Rivers," the House having refused to concur in amendments proposed by the Senate.

We have appointed on the part of this House, Messrs.

McLane, Hopkins and Cooper.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD, Chief Clerk.

Which was read,

The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following bills:

A bill entitled an Act granting the assent of the General Assembly to a bequest of a legacy made in the last will and testament of Elizabeth A. McMains, late of Cecil county, deceased, to the Trustees of the Lower West Nottingham Presbyterian Church, in said county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

A bill entitled an Act to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to endorse the mortgage bonds of the Western Maryland Railroad Company, to the amount of \$1,400,000, as provided by an ordinance of the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, entitled an ordinance,

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.