

Mr. McCreery presented a memorial from the President and Directors of the Frederick and Spout Spring Turnpike Company, asking leave to erect an additional gate and raise the toll on said road.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Markland submitted the following order :

Ordered, That F. S. Hoblitzell have leave of absence for one day.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Merrick submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the Governor be requested to communicate to this House any correspondence he may have had with the Executives of other States in regard to rendition of fugitives from justice, which may have been refused upon his requisition.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Wiley submitted the following message :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,  
January 13, 1870.

*Gentlemen of the Senate :*

In pursuance of an Act passed at January session, of 1867, of the General Assembly of Maryland, we propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, to go into an election for three Commissioners of Police, on Thursday, Jan. 20th, 1870, at 12 o'clock, M.

You are requested to be present in the Hall of the House of Delegates, on Thursday, 20th day of January, to proceed to such election.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD,  
Chief Clerk.

Which was read, assented to and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Sanner,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill to repeal sections one hundred and seventy-nine, and one hundred and eighty, of Article thirty, of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to Sabbath-breaking, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Loker,

Leave was granted the Committee on Claims to report a bill for the relief of Jno. R. Robertson, late Sheriff of Charles county.