

The following message was received from his Excellency, the Governor, per hands of Richard C. Hollyday, Esq., Secretary of State:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Annapolis, Mar. 3, 1870.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates of Maryland:

According to the requirements of the Constitution, I have signed and sealed and transmitted to the Clerk of the Court of Appeals, the laws of the present session, whose titles are enumerated on the accompanying list.

ODEN BOWIE.

An Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments, section one hundred and twenty, Article thirty, Public General Laws, entitled "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Rivers."

An Act to incorporate the Antietam Railroad Company in Washington county.

An Act for the protection of Fish and Terrapins in the tributaries of the Potomac river, lying in Saint Mary's county, and to regulate the time and manner of catching and taking Fish and Terrapins in that portion of the Potomac river between Cobb Point, in Charles county, and Point Lookout, in Saint Mary's county.

An Act to appropriate the sums of money therein mentioned to pay the claims of the State Reporter and J. Murphy & Co.

An Act to empower the Commissioners of Wicomico county to appoint an additional Constable in Sharptown district, No. 10, of said county.

An Act regulating fences in Lake's, Straight's and Draw-bridge districts of Dorchester county.

An Act to incorporate Mount Hope Retreat, in Baltimore county.

An Act to add an additional section to an Act passed December session, 1849, chapter 377, entitled "an Act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from Williamsport, in Washington county, to the Pennsylvania line in the direction of Greencastle, in Franklin county, State of Pennsylvania."

An Act to enable certain alien heirs of William Dalzell, late of Montgomery county, deceased, to take by descent certain lands lying in Montgomery county, of which the said William Dalzell died seized and possessed.