Which was read, and

On motion by Mr. Stephenson,

Referred to the Committee on Printing.

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

Senate bill, entitled an Act to amend an Act passed January Session, 1858, chapter 410, entitled an Act to incorporate the Mineral Hill Mining Company, of Maryland, reducing the capital stock of said company,

Endorsed, "Passed by yeas and nays." Also,

Senate bill, entitled an Act supplemental to the Act of 1870, chapter 58, entitled an Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Frederick county to build a new Almshouse for Frederick county; to borrow money on the credit of the county for that purpose; to issue bonds for the payment of the same, and to levy taxes on the assessable property of said county to redeem said bonds, and to pay the interest thereon.

Endorsed, "Passed by yeas and nays."

Also,

House Joint Resolutions, instructing our Senators, and requesting our Representatives in Congress, to use all proper means to induce Congress to refund the tax collected on raw cotton during the years 1865, 1866 and 1867, to the persons who paid the same.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Also,

The following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, February 9, 1872.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We respectfully propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, the appointment of a Joint Committee of the two Houses, to consist of three on the part of the House and two on the part of the Senate, to confer upon the unfavorable report of your Honorable Body on the bill, entitled an Act to amend section 1, chapter 473, of the Acts of 1870, entitled an Ac to add an additional section to Article IV. of the Code of Public Local Laws, entitled "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Police," and be section 827 of said Article, by providing that jurisdiction in cases where concealed weapons