annual salary of the Clerk to the County Commissioners, and re-enact the same with amendments,

Was read the third time, and passed by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Hepbron, Messrs. President, Hill, Bannon, Humphreys, Combs, of Allegany, Joyce, Combs, of St. Mary's, Lancaster, Dennis, Miller, Ford, Steiner, Franklin, Stump, Freeman, Welfley, Garey, Wilson-20. Gorman,

NEGATIVE-None.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates appeare land delivered the following message:

By THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 29th, 1878.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We respectfully propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, that the Speaker of the House of Delegates and the President of the Senate, unite in a request to the Governor, to issue a commission to the Honorable James Black Groome, as Senator-elect to the Congress of the United States; and also to John Milroy, Esq., as Police Commissioner for Baltimore City.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD, Chief Clerk.

Which was read.

Also, returned

Senate bill entitled an Act to regulate the compensation of the Sheriff of Prince George's County for keeping and boarding prisoners in Jail.

Endorsed: "Passed by yeas and nays, with proposed amendment."

Amend line 3, Section 1, by striking out the words "twenty-five," and inserting the word "thirty."