

form you that the legislature of Pennsylvania, in accordance with that liberal and enlightened spirit which has always characterised their proceedings, have passed a law since the adjournment of the last general assembly, giving their assent to the act incorporating the Susquehanna and Patapsco canal company; a copy whereof, received from his excellency governor Shulze, is herewith submitted—thus inviting us to extend our facilities of intercourse with the interior of that rich and fertile state, which has already contributed much to the growth and prosperity of our great commercial emporium.

For the reasons that have already been stated in the conclusion of our observations upon the general subject of internal improvement, we forbear to enlarge, or descend to particulars, on this subject.

The Arms, &c. mentioned in the resolution No 57, are in a course of repair under the superintendance of the armourer at this place; whose report on the subject is herewith submitted.

We forwarded to his excellency, the governor of Pennsylvania a copy of the report of the committee of the last house of delegates, relative to leave which had been granted to bring in a bill "to prevent persons residing out of this state from injuring the fisheries in the river Susquehanna below the Pennsylvania line," as requested by resolution No. 64.