hereby authorised to draw on the Treasury for the sum of fifty dollars as compensation therefor;

Which was read.

Mr. Hollyday, of Cecil, moved to amend the substitute by striking out "fifty" and inserting "twenty-five;"

Determined in the negative.

The question was then taken on the substitute and adopted. Mr. Johnson, of Anne Arundel, submitted the following message:

> By the House of Delegates, March 10th, 1845.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We have received the message of your honorable body of the 6th instant, asking that an addition of forty dollars and fourteen cents, be made to the resolution which passed this House on the 5th, providing for the payment of the bills due for furniture and repairs to the Senate Chamber, and concurring therein, return the resolution amended, by making the addition suggested.

By order,

Benjamin E. Gantt, Clerk pro tem.

On the question being put on adopting the message,

It was determined in the negative.

The House took up the bill from the Senate entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to extend the charters of the several Banks of the city of Baltimore;

Which was read the second time, passed and returned to the Senate.

Also, the bill entitled, an act to open a street in the town of Cumberland:

Which was read the second time, passed and returned to the Senate.

Mr. Kilgour, chairman of the committee on Claims, reported a bill entitled, an act to pay the journal of accounts;

Which was read the first and by a special order the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

The clerk of the Senate delivered,

A bill entitled, an act to regulate the compensation of jurors, judges of the orphans' court, and members of the levy court of Calvert county, and for other purposes;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Hance, Morsell and

And a bill entitled, an act to prevent the keeping of hogs within the limits of Chestertown, in Kent county;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Tilden, Hollyday of Kent, and Spencer.