

dent of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, informing him of his election to the Senate of the United States, and accede thereto.

By order,

Joseph H. Nicholson, Clk.

Which was read,

Mr. Long, chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to which was referred the memorial of sundry citizens of Washington county, praying the passage of a law for the removal of a turnpike gate, situated near the town of New Jerusalem, commonly called Funkstown, asked to be discharged from the further consideration thereof, and that the same be referred to the Washington county delegation ;

Which was read and concurred in.

Mr. Johnson, of Frederick, chairman of the select committee on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, reported a bill entitled, an act to provide for the completion of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to Cumberland, and for other purposes ;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Poole, chairman of the select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act to reduce the per diem of the judges and clerks of election in Frederick, Carroll and Anne Arundel counties ;

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

Mr. Purnell from the select committee on Ways and Means, reported a bill entitled, a supplement to an act to regulate the fee of Notaries Public, passed at December session 1841, chapter 280 ;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Graves,

Said bill was made the order of the day for Tuesday next.

Mr. Fletcher from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act to make valid the acts of John Johnson and James J. Hurley, as justices of the peace for Washington county ;

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

Mr. Freeman from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act regulating fishing on the Potomac river, during certain months, and concerning obstructions to fishing on said river ;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Long, chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, made an unfavorable report on the bill entitled, an act regulating the sessions of the Court of Appeals of the Western Shore, and providing for the trial of causes therein ;

Which report was twice read, concurred in, and the bill rejected.

Mr. Long, chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, made a favorable report upon the bill reported by Mr. Poole, entitled, a further supplement to an act entitled,