

TUESDAY, January 17th, 1865.

Mr. Carroll presented the memorial of the Union Protestant Infirmary;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Carroll, Ohr and Whitney.

On motion of Mr. Billingslea, of Carroll,

Ordered, That a special committee of three be appointed, consisting of one from Eastern, one from the Western Shore, and one from the city of Baltimore, to take into consideration the propriety of a re-assessment of the real and personal property of the State.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Billingslea, of Carroll, McMaster and Turner.

On motion of Mr. Ohr,

Leave was granted Messrs. Ohr, Mackall, McMaster, Tome and Carroll, to report a bill or bills providing for the registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths.

On motion of Mr. Ohr,

Leave was granted the committee on Elections, to report a bill or bills in compliance with the requirements of section 41, Article 3.

On motion of Mr. Ohr,

Leave was granted Messrs. Ohr, Davis, of Washington, and Lansdale, to report a bill in relation to the drawing and summoning of Jurors in Allegany county.

The Chair laid before the Senate testimony in relation to the contested seat of the Senator for Howard county;

Referred to the committee on Elections.

On motion of Mr. McNeal,

Leave was granted Messrs. McNeal, Davis, of Caroline, and Earle, to report a bill for the better regulation of the fees, at present accorded by-law to the clerks of the several counties of the State and the city of Baltimore.

Mr. Whitney submitted the following message:

BY THE SENATE,

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*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:*

We respectfully propose, with your concurrence, the appointment of a Joint Special committee of three members