

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

January 24th, 1865.

*Gentlemen of the Senate :*

We propose with the concurrence of your Honorable Body the appointment of a Joint committee of seven, four on the part of the House, and three on the part of the Senate to report a bill for the general re-valuation and assessment of the real and personal estate in the several counties of the State and the city of Baltimore.

We have appointed on the part of this House the following gentlemen, Messrs. Markey, Smith, of Allegany, Lee, of Queen Anne's, and Cook.

By order,

W. R. COLE,

Chief Clerk.

Which were read.

Also, a bill entitled, an Act relating to the division of the real estate of J. D. Wilds, late of Delaware, situated in Queen Anne's county, Maryland ;

Which was read the first time, and referred to committee on Judicial Proceedings.

On motion of Mr. Carroll,

Leave was granted the committee on Corporations to report a bill to add new sections to Article 26 of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Corporations," for the purpose of extending to transportation companies, forwarders and carries the privilege of incorporation under General Laws, as provided for under section fifty-one (51) of Article three (3) of the Constitution of Maryland.

On motion of Mr. Philpot,

Leave was granted the committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill entitled, an Act to extend the jurisdiction of the Orphans' court in certain cases.

Mr. Carroll from the committee on Corporations, to which was referred the bill entitled, an Act to incorporate the Ben Franklin Fire Insurance company of Baltimore city, reported it with the following amendment :

Strike out "1st day of January" and insert, "first Tuesday in January,"

Which was read and adopted, and