

Mr. Smith submitted the following message:

By the Senate,

March 4th, 1862.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :

We propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, to constitute the standing committees on Printing of the two Houses, a joint committee to contract for the printing of the laws and resolutions passed at the present session, the contract to be subject to the ratification of the two Houses.

By order,

C. HARWOOD,
Secretary.

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Smith, from the committee on Education, reported a bill entitled, An act to divide school district number 30, called Fowling Creek district, in Caroline county ;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Lynch, from the select committee, to which was referred the bill entitled, An act for the benefit of Nicholas Stiltz, of Baltimore county, reported it without amendment, and

The bill was read the second time.

Mr. Lynch, from the select committee, to which was referred the bill entitled, An act to alter and change the name of David Mertz, of Baltimore county, to the name of David Henry McComas, reported it without amendment, and

The bill was read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester,

Leave was granted Messrs. Goldsborough, of Dorchester, Whitaker and Lynch, to report a bill entitled, An act to regulate the compensation of the Crier of the Circuit Court for Dorchester county.

Mr. Whitaker presented the petition of James McCay and twenty-seven others praying the incorporation of the Susquehanna Boom Company ;

Which was read, and

Referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester, from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, An act supplementary to an act passed at December session, 1822, chapter 57, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a wharf at the town of Cambridge, in Dorchester county, to authorize the stockhold-