

The following communication which had been received from His Excellency, Governor Bradford, by the hands of W. B. Hill Esq., Secretary of State;

Was read.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,
Annapolis, February 22, 1862.

To the Senate:

Gentlemen—I nominate for your advice and consent Joseph Taylor, as an additional Auctioneer for the city of Baltimore. And I ask leave to withdraw for further consideration the nomination of the following persons, whose names were sent to your Honorable Body on the 19th instant, as Auctioneers in said city, viz.

J. Latimer Hoffman, John Coulson, Samuel H. Gover, John B. Cannon, George L. Harrison, James R. Chance, William Hamilton, George Gibson, Edward L. Thomas, William B. Lewis, John D. Hardy, Alfred C. N. Matthews, Richard Lemmon and Charles Egerton, Jr.

A. W. BRADFORD.

On motion of Mr. Smith,

The nomination of Joseph Taylor as additional Auctioneer for the city of Baltimore, was referred to the committee on Executive Nominations.

On motion of Mr. Denison,

The Senate advised and consented to the withdrawal of the above nominations agreeably to request.

On motion of Mr. Smith,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Legislative business.