

reported that the committee had had said bill under consideration and were of opinion it ought not to pass.

It was read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Tidball,

The bill entitled, an act to make valid the marriage of John Echer and Hannah Myers or Echer, was read the third time, by special order, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Jones from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to alter and change the name of Eager alley in the city of Baltimore, to State street, and

The bill entitled, an act to provide for the opening and extension of Plank alley in the city of Baltimore, reported favorably thereon.

They were severally read the second and by special order the third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

The following message was received from His Excellency Governor Veazey, by the hands of Thomas Culbreth, Esquire, Clerk of the Council,

It was read, and with the accompanying document, ordered to lie on the table, and 111 copies ordered to be printed for the use of the General Assembly.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ANNAPOLIS, March 11, 1837.

*Gentlemen of the Senate and
of the House of Delegates:*

We herewith submit for your consideration, a joint report of Charles B. Fisk, Esquire, Engineer appointed by us, and of George W. Hughes, Esquire, Engineer appointed by the Maryland Canal Company, under the act of the last General Assembly for the promotion of internal improvement, "to ascertain whether and what expense with due supply of water, a canal be practicable from the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to the city of Baltimore, by the valleys of the Monocacy and Patapsco, or by a route diverging from the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, at the mouth of Seneca river, exclusively within the limits of this State."

We have the honor to remain,

With the highest respect,

Your obedient servants,

THO. W. VEAZEY.