

By the House of Delegates,
January 16th, 1860.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We have received your message of the 12th inst., inviting us to co-operate with you through the Committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, in relation to the forms that may be required since the adoption of the Code, and concur therein.

By order,
MILTON Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk.

Which were severally read.

On motion of Mr. Townsend,

Leave was granted Messrs. Townsend, Nuttle, Goldsborough, of Talbot, Kimmel and Duvall, to report a bill to amend the act of 1858, chapter 256, entitled, An act to provide for the inspection, measuring and weighing of grain in the city of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. McKaig,

Leave was granted the Committee on the Judiciary, to report a bill entitled, An act to change the mode of summoning Jurors in the several counties of this State

Mr. Dashiell submitted the following message:

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Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message proposing a joint committee, to consist of three members from each House, to proceed to the city of Baltimore, and make a thorough investigation into the affairs and condition of the House of Refuge, and that they have full power to send for persons and papers, and to examine witnesses under oath, and make a report to this House. We have appointed Messrs. Dashiell, Miles and Whittaker, on the part of the Senate.

By order,
W. KILGOUR,
Secretary.

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

On motion of Mr. Townsend,

Leave was granted Messrs. Townsend, Yellott, Goldsborough, of Dorchester, Nuttle and Kimmel, leave to report