

We transmit a letter received from James Ellicott, president of the Cumberland Turnpike Road, stating the terms on which the managers of that company are willing to dispose of the road to the State, marked **E**.

We take pleasure in laying before the legislature certain resolutions of the revolutionary officers of the State of Pennsylvania, committed to our care, with that view, entertaining the fullest confidence; that they will meet the attention they merit, as proceeding from the most respectable and honourable source. The design appears to be, to obtain the countenance of the Government of Maryland to claims on the General Government, in favour of those who, with their blood, have sealed the independence of that country, to which they now appeal for a remuneration of services not to be forgotten; and in obtaining which, a few of our own fellow citizens are equally interested with the memorialists of our sister State. Papers marked **F**.

We consider it proper also to lay before the legislature a letter addressed to this department, by the committee of the Athenaeum, a literary institution in the City of Philadelphia; and also a Pamphlet containing the laws and regulations of the American Antiquarian Society, a similar institution in the State of Massachusetts. These societies, being desirous of obtaining copies of the laws of every state in the Union, to be deposited in their libraries, we hope the Legislature will aid their useful intentions, by authorising the Executive to each of them, a copy of Kelly's laws, and also the new compilation now nearly completed, a donation which we are well assured, will be very acceptable. **G**.

We transmit for the information and attention of the legislature the following papers addressed to this department viz,

A Letter from the Governor of Pennsylvania, with a copy of a law of that State respecting the navigation of Octorara creek. **H**

Another letter from the Governor of Pennsylvania, enclosing a Resolution passed by the legislature of that State proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States. **I**

Another letter from the Governor of Pennsylvania, enclosing a Resolution of