## THURSDAY, March 9th, 1854.

The following communications which had been been received from his Execllency Govenor Ligon, by the hands of Nathaniel Cox, Esquire, Secretary of State, were read.

Executive Department, Annapolis, March 7th, 1854.

To the Senate:

I have the honor to make the following military nominations:

For colonel of the 9th regiment Maryland militia, William Johnson.

For lieutenant-colonel of same regiment, Edward Landen.

For major of same regiment, Walter P. Snow.

For major of the 37th regiment of the Maryland militia, John Gunby.

For colonel of said regiment, Thomas P. Parker.

For lieutenant-colonel of same regiment, William L. Leonard.

For colonel of the 43d regiment Maryland militia, Walter Mitchell.

For lieutenant-colonel of same regiment, John J. Hughes, vice Walter Mitchell promoted.

T. WATKINS LIGON.

Executive Department, Annapolis, March 9th, 1854.

To the Senate:

I have the honor to make the following military nominations:

For major of the 43d regiment Maryland militia, William Smith, vice John B. Lawson, deceased.

For captain of company I, 1st regiment Maryland militia, Sa-muel Cox.

T. WATKING LIGON.