

purposes therein mentioned; and a bill entitled, An act authorising the levy court of Washington county to appoint commissioners to lay off the road therein mentioned, severally passed by that house, November 13, 1811; which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. The bill entitled, An act for the benefit of Alexander Rigdon, of Harford county, was read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

*Amendments proposed.*

1st. Strike out the preamble.

2d. Strike out the words "carrying the said," in the 3d line of the 2d page, and insert "certain commissioners having located and opened a."

3d. Strike out the words, "award accordingly" in the 9th line of the 2d page, and insert "return the same to the levy court of Harford county."

The following message was read and agreed to :

BY THE SENATE, Nov. 13, 1811.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

We have appointed Messrs. Dorsey, Davis, Holbrook, William Hollingsworth and Hawkins, a committee on the part of this house to join the gentlemen appointed by you to form a committee of both houses, to compare and examine all bills from time to time during this session, as soon as they shall be severally engrossed.

By order,

T. ROGERS, Clk.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1811.

THE Senate met.—Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Holbrook. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill entitled, An act for the benefit of Alexander Rigdon, of Harford county, and the message relative to the committee on engrossed bills were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Mr. Williams asked and obtained leave of absence for Mr. Holbrook for a few days.

On motion, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, An act relative to the inspection of tobacco in the city of Baltimore. *Ordered*, That Messrs. Levi Hollingsworth, Dorsey and Brown be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The bill entitled, An act to authorise and empower the justices of the levy court of Caroline county to discontinue so much of the public road as is therein mentioned, was read the second