

timore, and examine into the state and condition of the University of Maryland, to ascertain whether any alterations in the charter are necessary; and if so, whether the regents of the University are willing to assent to the same—and to report the information which may be collected, to this general assembly.

Messrs. Maxcy and Merrick, have been appointed on the part of this house, to join such gentlemen as may be named by your honorable house.

By order,

John Brewer, Clerk.

Also, a resolution in favor of Samuel Bradford, late sheriff of Harford county, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Brownley, Johnson, and Miller.

Also, a resolution in favor of John Templeman, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Bowie, Quinton, and Orrell.

Also, a resolution relative to chancery papers, which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Also, a resolution in favor of Robert Stewart, which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Also, a resolution relative to the old meeting house, which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Also, a bill entitled an act to punish such persons as destroy indexes or pointers on public roads, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Scott, Claude, and Brownley.

Also, a bill entitled an act to ascertain and settle the law relative to writs of forcible entry and detainer, which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Also, a bill entitled a supplement to an act entitled an act to incorporate the trustees for the Church Hill Academy, in Queen Anne's county, which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Also, a bill entitled a supplement to an act entitled an act to provide for the prompt settlement of the concerns of the Bank of Caroline, passed at December session, 1824, chapter 163, which was read the first time and laid on the table.

Also, a bill entitled an act to revise and extend the provisions of an act entitled an act to provide for the appointment of commissioners for the regulation and improvement of Snow Hill, in Worcester county, and for other purposes, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Quinton, Bowie, and Miller.

On motion, the bill relative to rights of dower, was recommended.

Mr. Miller from the committee made an unfavorable report upon the bill directing the priority of payment of the debts