

to borrow a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned. The bill was then read a second and by special order third time, passed, and returned to the house of delegates.

The amendments proposed by the joint committee to whom was referred the bill to incorporate the Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland steam navigation company, were read, assented to, and with the bill returned to the house of delegates.

The resolution relative to the distribution of Harris and Johnson's Reports, was read a second and third time by special order, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Claude made an unfavorable report upon the bill for the relief of Susannah G. Edmunson, of Baltimore county. The bill was then read a second and by special order a third time, rejected, and returned to the house of delegates.

The resolution respecting the western limits of this state, was read a second time and laid on the table.

The resolution relative to the committee appointed to visit the penitentiary, was read a second and third time by special order, assented to and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Kent from the committee made a favorable report upon the bill for the benefit of the heirs of John C. Ireland. The bill was then read a second and by special order a third time, passed, and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Bowie from the committee, made a favorable report upon the bill to provide for the purchase of the office papers formerly belonging to the surveyors office of Frederick county.— The bill was then read a second, and by special order, a third time, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

The resolution relative to the printing of the laws was read a second and third time, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

The senate adjourned until 6 o'clock, P. M.

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The senate met. Present, the same members as in the morning.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message which was read.

By the House of Delegates, March 6th, 1826
Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received your message proposing to invite his excellency the governor to attend in the senate chamber at eight o'clock, this evening, to sign the laws, and concur therein.

We have named Messrs. Lee and Sewell, to join the gentlemen mentioned in your message.

By order,

John Brewer, Clk.