

The resolution authorising the governor and council to grant a commission of Lieutenant Colonel, to the military professor in Saint Johns College, was read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

The additional supplement to the act concerning crimes and punishments, was read the second and third time, passed, and returned to the house of delegates.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following messages, which were read.

By the House of Delegates, March 12th, 1827.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

The bill entitled, "an act to incorporate the Etna Iron company in the city of Baltimore, has been returned from your honorable body, endorsed, "will not pass."—We send you the said bill a second time, and respectfully request that you will again consider it, and if consistent with your ideas of propriety, pass the same.

By order,

Gideon Pearce, Clerk.

By the House of Delegates, March 12th, 1827.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We regret that your honorable body have rejected the bill entitled, "An act to impose and collect a tax upon such parts of the estates of persons as escape taxation under the existing laws of this state," and respectfully request a conference on that subject.

We have appointed on the part of this house, Messrs. M'Culloh, Teackle and Hall, to confer with such gentlemen as may be appointed by your honorable body.

By order,

Gideon Pearce, Clerk.

Also, a resolution in favour of the members of the legislature with the clerks and other officers, which was read the first, second, and third times, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

Also, a resolution in favour of Benjamin Seegar and David Ridgely, committee clerks.

Also, a resolution in favour of the chaplains, which were severally read and assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

Also, a resolution requiring the board of public works to assume the payment of 100 dollars to the commissioners under the act incorporating the Susquehannah and Patapsco canal company, which was read and assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.