

And returned the following bills.

The bill relating to bail in civil actions.

The supplement to an act entitled, an act incorporating the Baltimore second dispensary.

The supplement to the act entitled, an act to aid conveyances of land improperly enrolled, and for other purposes.

The further supplement to the act entitled, an act for enlarging the power of the high court of chancery, severally endorsed 'will pass.'

And delivered the bill to declare certain trespasses felony, and for other purposes, which was read and referred to Messrs. Johnson, Heath and Dennis.

Also, an additional supplement to the act relative to licences passed at December session 1824, chapter 148, which was read and referred to Messrs. Dennis, Kennedy and Sewell.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to ascertain the number of deaf and dumb, which was read the first time, and laid on the table.

Also, a further supplement to the act to provide a summary mode of recovering possession of lands and tenements, holden by tenants for years or at will, after the expiration of their terms, which was read the first time, and laid on the table.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to provide for the completion of the records in the office of the register of wills of Washington county, which was read and referred to Messrs. Kennedy, Whiteley and Sewell.

Mr. Heath offered the following message, which was read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates, with the bill to which it relates.

In Senate, March 12th, 1827.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The senate have received the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Etna Iron company, and in compliance with the request of your honourable house, have reconsidered the same, and again reject it. The only document in relation to the bill presented to the senate, was the petition of an individual, praying the passage of an act of incorporation—without any reason being assigned for the measure—The senate would further remark, that the multiplication of these corporations is thought injurious, as they facilitate the obtaining credit for the company at the moment that they diminish the responsibility of the persons incorporated.

By order,

William Kilty, Clerk