

WEDNESDAY, March 20, 1833.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Mayer from the committee to which the leave was granted, reported a bill entitled, a supplement to an act relating to devises and legacies.

Which was read the first time.

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following message:

By the House of Delegates,  
March 19, 1833.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received your message proposing to close the present session, by adjournment on Friday next, and concur therein.

By order,

G. G. Brewer, Clk.

Also the following bill:

A bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to reduce into one the several acts of assembly, respecting elections and to regulate said elections.

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Pigman, Wootton, Morris, Dennis and Hughlett.

Mr. Mayer submitted the following resolution, which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Emory, it was ordered to lie on the table.

By the Senate,

March 20th, 1833.

Whereas much of the time of every session of the General Assembly is occupied, and much of the expense of the legislature is incurred, in special legislation, and whereas it would conduce to the convenience of our citizens and to the ready attainment of ends of justice to have such general laws enacted as experience may suggest to obviate the necessity of special legislation; and whereas from a review of the special enactments for a series of years past it may be practicable to devise such general legislation as may supersede the occasion for a great part of the special laws that might otherwise be requisite. Therefore