

ment to the act entitled, an act for the relief of creditors, and to prevent frauds and deceits occasioned by secret sales, mortgages and gifts of goods and chattels.

Which was read the first time.

The senate adjourned until to morrow morning 10 o'clock.

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TUESDAY, January 13th, 1835

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

Mr. Chapman appeared in the senate chamber and took his seat.

The President laid before the senate, a report from the Visitors of St. John's Literary Institution.

Which was read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates

Mr. Morris presented the memorial of the Trustees and Visitors of the Maryland Hospital.

Which was read.

Mr. Morris submitted the following message:

Which was read and adopted; and with the memorial sent to the house of delegates.

By the Senate,

January 13, 1835.

Gentlemen of the house of delegates,

We respectfully ask leave to refer to the consideration of your honorable body, the memorial of the trustees and visitors of the Maryland Hospital, with the view of suggesting the propriety of the appointment of a committee of your honorable body and of the senate, that they may examine into the condition and learn the wants of the Maryland Hospital; and thereby ascertain how far it is capable of performing, or has realized the just expectations of the public; so that such legislation may ensue as is calculated to correct any defects, (if they exist,) in its present organization, and extend to it that measure of aid which an enlightened and humane policy may dictate, consistent with the ability of the state. We have appointed Messrs. Morris, Emory