

Also, delivered letters from Nathaniel F. Williams, and William Fell Johnson, Esqs, accepting of their appointments as members of the Executive Council, severally endorsed, "referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates,"

Which were severally read.

Mr. Larrimore, from the select committee, to which was referred the bill from the senate, entitled an act to confirm a deed therein mentioned, reported the same without amendment,

The said bill was then read the first and second time by special order, passed, and returned to the senate.

Mr. Dulany, asked the following leave;

Leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, an act for the augmentation of the salaries of the Chief Justices of the several judicial districts of this state,

Which was read.

And, on motion of Mr. Dulany, referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Lassell, submitted the following resolutions,

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That each of the U. States has an equal right in its just proportion, to participate in the benefit of the public lands, the common property of the Union.

Resolved that the Senators and Representatives of this State, in the Congress of the United States be requested to use their exertions to procure the passage of a law, to appropriate to the use of the State of Maryland, for the purposes of education and internal improvement, such part of the proceeds of the public lands of the United States as may be equitable and just.

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be requested to communicate a copy of the foregoing resolutions to each of the Senators and Representatives of this State in the Congress of the United States,

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill reported by Mr. Teackle, entitled, an act to provide for electing commissioners of Somerset county, and prescribing their powers and duties was taken up for consideration,

When on motion of Mr. Teackle, said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Dulany, the House took up for consideration the order, submitted by him in relation to appoint-