

he shall have been tried, or by the court where the case has been submitted to the court without a jury, and of making said bill, when confirmed, a part of the constitution of the State.

Mr. Carpinter submitted the following message,
Which was read, assented to and sent to the senate.

By the House of Delegates,
February 20th, 1837.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We propose with the concurrence of your honorable body, to request His Excellency, the Governor, to attend in the Senate chamber, at the hour of four o'clock, P. M. on Thursday, the 23d instant, to sign such laws as may have been passed during the present session of the General Assembly.

We have appointed Messrs. Carpinter and Henderson, on the part of this house, to join such gentlemen as may be named by your honorable body to perform that service.

Mr. Ridgely, chairman of the select committee, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Stephen Beard, Wm. H. Baldwin and others, securities of Israel Davidson, praying relief therein mentioned,

Which was read the first and by special order the second time, and concurred in.

Mr. Brengle, chairman of the select committee, made an unfavorable report upon the memorial of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying the passage of an act authorising the Levy Court of Frederick county to purchase the Frederick town and Harper's Ferry road, so far as the same lies and is situate in Frederick county,

Which was read the first, and by a special order the second time, and concurred in.

Mr. Harrison reported a bill, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act for the protection of oysters in the waters of the Eastern Shore of this State, 'passed at December session 1831, chapter 249, so far as relates to the waters bordering on Queen Ann's county.'

Mr. Carpinter, chairman of the committee on divorces, reported a bill, entitled, an act to divorce Mary Woods, of Frederick county, from her husband, Michael Woods.

Mr. Brengle reported a bill, entitled, an act supplemental to the act, entitled, an act to blend New-town, Trap, and New Freedom, in Frederick county, into one, by the name of Jefferson, and to establish boundaries of lots, by commissioners, and to incorporate the same, passed February 6, 1832