

The senate have appointed Messrs. Thomas and Dennis, to join the gentlemen named in your message, to count the ballots and report the result.

By order,

Wm. Kilty, Clk.

Also a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the better regulation of apprentices, which originated in, and being passed by the senate, was read and referred to Messrs. Barnes, Gibbons and Stricker.

And returned the bill, entitled, An act for the relief of certain minors therein mentioned; endorsed, 'will pass, with the proposed amendment;' which amendment was twice read, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Brooke asked and obtained leave to report a bill, to be entitled, An act for the benefit of the creditors of George W. Crane, of Calvert county, and for other purposes. Messrs. Brooke, Somerville and Done, were appointed a committee to prepare the same.

Mr. Peach asked and obtained leave to report a bill, to be entitled, An act relative to the colleges and academies now endowed by this state, and providing for the support of primary schools. Messrs. Peach, Barnes and Stevens, were appointed a committee to prepare the same.

Mr. Barnes reported a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act entitled, An act to authorise the governor and council of Maryland to appoint the inspectors of flour for this state; Mr. Bennet also reported a bill, entitled, An act to repeal an act relating to the public roads in Talbot county, passed at December session 1825; Mr. Wright also reported a bill, entitled, An act to authorise the erection of gates on the public road therein mentioned, in Dorchester county; And Mr. Ridgely also reported a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the revaluation of the real and personal property in Allegany county, passed at December session 1824; which said bills were severally read the first, and, by special order, the second time, and passed.

Mr. Nicholson reported a bill, entitled, An act to establish magistrates' courts in the several counties of this state, for the trial of assault and battery; Mr. Harlan also reported a bill, entitled, An act for the revaluation of the real and personal property in Cecil county; Mr. Tidball also reported a bill, entitled, An act to release the tax upon the Hagers-town academy lottery; Mr. Edward Hughes also reported a bill, entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of the trustees of the poor in Montgomery county, and for other purposes; And Mr. Stricker also reported a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of John Aisquith, the administrator of Robert C. Aisquith, late of the city of Baltimore, deceased; which said bills were severally read and laid on the table.

On motion by Mr. Goldsborough, the report of the committee appointed to prepare rules and regulations for the government of the house of delegates, in the conduct of business during the present session, was made the order of the day for to-morrow.

In conformity with the provisions of the constitution, and the