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to join the gentlemen named by you to request the attendance of his excellency in the senate chamber at 1 o'clock, to sign the remainder of the laws. By order. J. BREWER, Clk.

Also a resolution relative to the clerks; which was read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates,

Mr. Johnson offered the following message; which was read, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates.

BY THE SENATE, Feb. 26, 1824.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates—The senate respectfully suggest to you the propriety of giving some additional compensation to Mr. Thomas S. Alexander, our reading clerk. He has served us one half of the session to our complete satisfaction, and is, we think, as much entitled to extra pay as either of the clerks to whom you have given it.

By order,

W. KILTY, Clk.

The clerk of the house of delegates returned the bill to authorise the banks of this state to invest a part of their capital in the public stocks of the United States, with sundry amendments; which were read and assented to, and with the bill ordered to be engrossed. And delivered the following message; which was read.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb. 26, 1824.

Gentlemen of the Senate—We have received the bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to reduce into one the several acts relating to elections and to regulate said elections, and return it to you with a wish that you will reconsider and pass it. J. BREWER, Clk.

Also a resolution in favor of Joshua Cockey; which was read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates. Also the journal of accounts, with a bill for the payment of the journal of accounts; which were read, passed and returned to the house of delegates. Also a resolution in favor of members and clerks; which was read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates. Also a resolution relating to a lot of ground for the erection of a state ware house for the inspection of tobacco, endorsed, "assented to." And returned the additional supplement to an act entitled, an act relating to public roads in the several counties therein mentioned. The further supplement to the act directing the manner of suing out attachments in this province, and limiting the extent of them. The supplement to the act relating to justices of the peace in the city of Baltimore; and the act relating to the manumission of slaves in this state, severally endorsed, "will not pass." Also the supplement to the act to establish state ware houses for the inspection of tobacco in the city of Baltimore, endorsed "will pass," and it was ordered to be engrossed. Also the engrossed bills from No. 189 to No. 196, endorsed, "assented to." Also the supplement to an act to reduce into one the several acts of assembly respecting elections, and to regulate the same; which was reconsidered by the senate, passed and returned to the house of delegates. And delivered a resolution in favor of Thomas S. Alexander; which was read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Bowie offered the following resolution, which was read and unanimously adopted: Resolved unanimously, That the thanks of the senate be given to Wm. R. Stuart, Esquire, President of the Senate, for his faithful and dilligent attention to the duties of the chair during the present session.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the engrossed bills from No. 197 to No. 213 inclusive which were read, assented to, and returned to the house of delegates.

The engrossed bills from No. 197 to No. 213 inclusive, were read, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates, and the same were returned, endorsed, assented to.

His excellency the governor having appeared in the senate chamber, it was ordered that Messrs. Bowie and Johnson wait upon the speaker and members of the house of delegates, and inform them that his excellency the governor is attending in the senate chamber ready to sign the laws, and request their attendance to witness the same.

The speaker attended by the members of the house of delegates, appeared in the senate chamber, and the engrossed bills from No. 141 to No. 213 inclusive, were presented by the speaker to his excellency the Governor, who signed and sealed the same in the presence of both houses.

The speaker and members of the house of delegates having retired from the senate chamber, the senate adjourned until the first Monday in December next.

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W. KILTY, Clerk Senate of Md.