

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered the following message.

By the House of Delegates, March 7th, 1827.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

By an act of the legislature passed at the present session, entitled, "an act to establish a library for the use of the legislature," it is provided, that the sum of two hundred dollars, for the purchase of books and maps, be laid out under the direction of a joint committee, consisting of three members from the senate, and three from the house of delegates; Therefore, in compliance with the above recited act we have appointed Mr. Speaker and Messrs. Chapman and Barnes to act in conjunction with the gentlemen it may be the pleasure of your honourable body to nominate.

By order,

Gideon Pearce, Clerk.

By the Senate, March 8, 1827.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message relative to the act of the general assembly entitled, an act to establish a library for the use of the legislature, and concur therewith.—We have appointed Messrs. Marriott, Kennedy and Heath, to act in conjunction with the gentlemen named on the part of your honourable body.

By order,

Wm. Kilty, Clk.

The bill entitled, an act to authorise Mary C. Spence, of Baltimore county, to sell the lands therein mentioned, was read the second and by special order a third time, and rejected.

The bill entitled, an act to regulate the manner of giving public notice in cases required by law, was read the second, and by special order the third time, and will pass.

The bill entitled, an act, to authorise Mary C. Spence, of Baltimore county, to sell or lease and convey the real estate of Robert T. Spence, was read the third time, by special order, and will pass.

The bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the creditors and family of George W. Crane, of Calvert county, was read the second, and by special order a third time, and rejected.

The bill entitled, an act, to appoint a trustee for the purposes therein mentioned, was read the third time, and rejected, which were severally delivered by the clerk to the house of delegates.

The bill to provide for the printing and publication of the laws of this state, was read the third time, rejected and retruned to the house of delegates.