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The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the President of the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road Company, in answer to the order of the House of the third instant;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Internal Improvement.

Mr. Lecompte of Carroll, chairman of the committee on Expiring Laws, reported a bill entitled, an act to continue in force such acts of Assembly as would expire during the present session;

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Mr. Buskirk then moved to amend the said bill by striking out the words "or in any wise modified."

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Key moved to amend the said bill by inserting after the word "acts" last occurring in the sixth line, the following:

"Or renewal of charters of banks or of internal improvement companies, or extension of time to any corporation heretofore enacted by law;"

Which was read.

On the question being put,

Will the House assent to the said amendment?

It was determined in the affirmative.

The question then recurred on the passage of the said bill as amended;

And on being put,

It was passed and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Gallagher, chairman of the committee on Corporations, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Middleburg school, reported the same with the following amendment:

Add as an additional section:

"And be it enacted, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to authorise the said corporation to issue any note, token, device or other evidence of debt, to be used as currency;"

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Graves, chairman of the committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act supplementary to an act entitled, an act to authorise the licensing of stock brokers, exchange brokers and bill brokers, and to regulate the purchase and sale of loans and stocks, reported the same with the following amendments:

In the second section, strike out "two hundred and fifty" and insert "one hundred."

Strike out "five hundred" and insert "two hundred and fifty."

Add as additional sections:

"Section 3. And be it enacted, That every person who shall deal in any manner directly or indirectly, upon his own account or for others, in the purchase or sale of stocks, bills, notes, bank notes and other obligations, shall be deemed and taken to be a