

ORDERS.

Mr. Linthicum submitted the following order :

Ordered, That James W. Owens be paid the sum of \$50 as the share of the House of Delegates for clerical and professional services rendered the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and Its Tributaries, as a House committee and as a Joint Committee, in preparing bills for their introduction.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Satterfield submitted the following order :

Ordered by the House of Delegates, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be and he is hereby authorized to secure the attendance of such members as may be absent without leave, and for that purpose he is hereby empowered to swear in such deputies as may be necessary, and he is directed to bring such absent members before the bar of the House.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Duncan submitted the following order :

Ordered, That R. J. Wilson be paid the sum of \$1.50 per diem for services rendered the Committee on Ways and Means.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Claims.

LEAVES TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Perkins,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Claims to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to refund to Samuel R. Owens, of Prince George's county, a certain sum of money erroneously paid into the State Treasury."

On motion of Mr. Latrobe,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Ways and Means to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments, section 22, Article 81, of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Revenue and Taxes,' sub-title 'Rate and Items of State Tax,' as said section was amended by the Acts of 1898, chapter 220."