

Also returned,

Joint resolution authorizing the destruction of so many of the bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the State of Maryland, consisting of the Maryland Defense Redemption Loan, issued under chapter 289 of the Acts of 1882, of the exchange loan of 1886, issued under chapter 449, of 1886, of the exchange loan of 1889, issued under chapter 201, of 1888, and of the exchange loan of 1891, issued under chapter 305, of 1890, as were exchanged on the first day of January, 1899, for a like amount of "The Consolidated Loan of 1899," as per chapter 219, of the Acts of 1898.

Endorsed: "Read the first time, not referred, Rules suspended by yeas and nays. Read the second time, Rules suspended by yeas and nays. Read the third time, and passed by yeas and nays."

At 1.25 P. M.,

On motion of Mr. Putzel,

The Senate adjourned until Monday, January 22d, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

NIGHT SESSION.

MONDAY, Jan. 22, 1900.

Senate met at 8 P. M.

Prayer by the Rev. Father Kautz.

Present at roll call the following Senators:

Messrs. President, Betts, Bouic, Brewington, Bryan, Crothers, Dodson, Gray, Kirwan, Messick, Moore, Moses, Peter, Putzel, Ravenscroft, Rohrback, Wilkin-son, Williams, of Har., Williams, of A. A.—18.

The Journal of Thursday's session was read and approved.