

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Registration.

On motion of Mr. Norris,

Ordered, That it be entered on the Journal that S. R. Gore, Committee Clerk, is absent on account of sickness.

On motion of Mr. Harris,

Ordered, That one hundred additional copies of the petition asking for the repeal of the Registry Law, from Baltimore city, be printed for the use of the members of this House.

Mr. Wooden submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the chairman of the committee on Claims issue certificates for the sum of forty dollars each to the officers of this House, as mileage to said officers ;

Which was rejected.

On motion of Mr. Poteet,

Ordered, That the committee on Claims be instructed to issue certificates, for such amount as is customary, to the members or officers who are detained after the adjournment of the General Assembly in closing up the business of the session.

On motion of Mr. Poteet,

Ordered, That the committee on Claims issue a certificate for such amount as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of an order adopted on yesterday, in regard to furnishing the members of the House with postage stamps.

On motion of Mr. Poteet,

Ordered, That the chairman of the committee on Claims be instructed to issue his warrant for compensation to Marion Boswell, from the commencement of the session.

Mr. Buhrman, from a Select committee, submitted the following

#### REPORT :

WHEREAS, During the rebel invasion of Maryland in July, 1864, Mr. George Blessing, of Frederick county, aided by his son, quite a youth, in a fight to protect his property, defeated some forty rebel cavalry, killing one, mortally wounding another, and wounding and capturing a third with his arms and horse—by so doing saving his family from insult and his property from destruction ; therefore,