cis P. Phelps, of Dorchester county, had been present when the vote was taken upon the bill to restore to citizenship all persons deprived thereof under the provisions contained in the fourth section of the first Article of the Constitution of this State, he would have voted in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Lindsey,

Leave was granted the Cecil County delegation to report a bill to incorporate Cecil Lodge No. 125, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, in Chesapeake City, Cecil county.

On motion of Mr. Hooper,

Leave was granted Baltimore County and Baltimore City delegations to introduce a bill to change the location of the first toll gates on the turnpike roads leading out of Baltimore city.

On motion of Mr. Calvert,

Leave was granted Messrs. Calvert, Ford and Buhrman to introduce a bill to regulate the number of officers for future sessions of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Williams,

Leave was granted Committee on Ways and Means to introduce a bill for the relief of the sureties on the bond of William Billingsley, a former collector of Calvert county.

On motion of Mr. Stevens,

Leave was granted Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill to repeal the Act of 1849, chapter 532, section 3, relating to the closing of certain streets in the city of Baltimore, by the Baltimore and Susquehanna Railroad.

On motion of Mr. Boswell,

Leave was granted Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to amend the charter of the Maryland Emigration Company.

On motion of Mr. Aydelotte,

Leave was granted the Worcester County delegation to report a bill to amend the Act entitled, "an Act to incorporate the town of Newtown, in Worcester county," so as to strike out the 8th section of said act, and insert an other section in lieu thereof.

On motion of Mr. Linthicum,

Leave was granted the Frederick County delegation to introduce a bill to authorize the trustees of the Middletown Academy to transfer by deed the building and grounds to the Board of School Commissioners of Frederick county.

On motion of Mr, Appleman, Leave was granted Washington County delegation to intro-