Was read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading, and

Was accordingly engrossed.

On motion by Mr. Brodwater,

The Senate adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock, M.

THURSDAY, February 14, 1867.

Mr. Bowie presented the memorial of Joseph J. Duvall, praying the General Assembly to pass a law regulating the sale of agricultural products;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Bowie presented the memorial of Perkins & Co., Ealy & Bash, Kessler & Sutro, John Rodgers & Son, Butler, Perrego & Way, Sisco Brothers, Gleninger & Co., and 40 mercantile firms and large property owners of Baltimore, against any change in the charter of the Baltimore and Potomac Rail Road Company;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

Mr. Stephenson presented the petition of John Dougherty, Dr. Samuel J. Ramsay and 100 other citizens of Harford county, against the building of booms in the Susquehanna River;

Which was read and referred to the committee on that subject.

On motion by Mr. Davis, of Washington,

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to take some effective measure, as soon as practicable, to preserve from further injury, the highly prized historic painting that now decorates this Hall, valued not only as a work of high artistic merit, but also for the interesting subject it commemorates.

On motion by Mr. Kimmell,

Ordered, That the Secretary have the Committee Room, adjoining the Senate Chamber, re-carpeted.