of the Code of Public General Laws entitled, County Commissioners, relating to the repairs of bridges.

Also, leave was granted the Committee on Corporations to report a bill to incorporate the Empire Mutual Insurance Company of Baltimore city.

On motion of Mr. Calvert,

Leave was granted the Prince George's and Calvert delegations to introduce a bill authorizing the County Commissioners of Prince George's to sell the present Alms House, and to buy or build another, and also empowering them to levy a tax therefor.

Also, leave was granted the Committee on Judiciary to introduce a bill to repeal sections 268 and 271, Article 93, of the Code of General Laws, and re-enact the same with amendments.

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On motion of Mr. Wampler,

Leave was granted the Committee on Corporations to report a bill entitled, a supplement to an Act entitled, an Act to incorporate the Western Maryland Railroad Company.

Also, leave was granted the Carroll county delegation to report a bill entitled, an Act to empower the County Commissioners of Carroll county to subscribe, on behalf of said county, to the capital stock of the Western Maryland Railroad Company, or to endorse its second mortgage bonds to an amount not exceeding \$100,000.

On motion of Mr. Williams,

Leave was granted the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to amend the Act of 1866, incorporating the Plum Point Wharf Company of Calvert county.

On motion of Mr. Smith, (the rules being suspended,)

Ordered, That it be entered on the Journal that John D. Thompson be excused for absence from his seat on Saturday, the same being caused by important business requiring his attention.

Mr. Nicolai, chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported favorably, a bill entitled, an Act to incorporate the Monumental Fire Insurance Company, of Baltimore;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. McCulley, from the Select Committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, an Act to repeal the 107th section, of Article 1, of