

*To the Honorable,*

*The General Assembly of Maryland :*

The undersigned, speaking for ourselves and an overwhelming majority of the people of Baltimore, respectfully urge the necessity of your immediate action in the passage of the bills known as the "Convention Bill" and the "Municipal Bill." We regard these measures as vital to the well being of the people of the State, and essential to be enacted at once;

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Thomas,

Was transmitted to the Senate.

The hour having arrived for taking up the Order of the Day ;

Being the bill entitled, an Act to repeal sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, of chapter 37 of the Acts of Assembly of January session, 1866, entitled, an Act to encourage and facilitate Immigration to the State of Maryland and enact other sections in the place of the sections so repealed.

On motion of Mr. Knott,

The said bill was postponed and made the Order of the Day for to-morrow, (Wednesday) at one o'clock.

The bill entitled, an Act to incorporate the Worcester and Somerset Railroad Company.

Also, the bill entitled, an Act to repeal section 43 of the Public General Laws, entitled, "Mechanics Lien," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Were severally read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The bill entitled, an Act to provide for the restoration of the Records, Indexes, Dockets and Papers, destroyed or injured by fire in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for Baltimore county ;

Being upon its second reading;

Was ordered to be printed and made the Order of the Day for Monday, 4th of March.

The bill entitled, an Act to repeal sections 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, and 409, of the Code of Public Local Laws, entitled, "Guanq;"

Being upon its second reading;

Was made the Order of the Day for to-morrow (Wednesday,) February 27th;