

port a bill to repeal sections 75 and 76 of Article 21, Public Local Laws, relating to the town of Clearspring in Washington county, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Sudler,

Leave was granted to the Queen Anne's and Kent county delegations to report a bill authorizing the Comptroller and Treasurer, when ascertaining the amount of paid up subscriptions to the capital stock of the Queen Anne's and Kent Railroad Company, to estimate the bonds of Queen Anne's county, as cash at a specified rate per cent.

On motion of Mr. Davis, of Cecil,

Leave was granted to the Cecil county delegation to introduce a bill to allow the County Commissioners of Cecil county, to levy a sum of money to build a bridge over Scotchmans creek in said county.

On motion of Mr. Herbert,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to report a bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Opaque Zinc Company.

On motion of Mr. Bond, of Baltimore city,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill to repeal Sections 1 and 4, of Article 13 of the Public General Laws, entitled Bastardy, and to re-enact the same with alterations.

On motion of Mr. Jordan,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to incorporate a company to build a turnpike road from the bridge across Little Pipe Creek on the line between Frederick and Carroll counties, near Daniel E. Buckley's mill through Middleburg to Taneytown, in Carroll county.

On motion of Mr. Devecmon,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to incorporate the Dime Bank of Cumberland.

Mr. Bond, of Baltimore city, (the rules being suspended,) submitted the following order :

Ordered, That Mr. Mullin, of Baltimore city, have leave of absence for Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Colton submitted the following message :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

January 23, 1868.

Gentlemen of the Senate :

We respectfully propose that a committee of seven of this House be joined with a committee of four on the part of the