

FRIDAY, January 31, 1868.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by the Rev. Father Burke.

Present at roll call :

Messrs. President, Browne, Biggs, Brewer, Clarke, Carroll, Denson, Earle, Grove, Hyland, Hammond, Lee, Miller, Malone, Parker, of Worcester, Spates, Snyder, Smith, Walsh—18.

Mr. Denson presented the petition of the Faculty of Physic of the University of Maryland.

Which was referred to Senators Smith, Denson, and Hammond.

The President presented the report of John W. Page, Principal of the Home School for boys, in Frederick city.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Mr. Parker, of Worcester,

Leave was granted to the Senators from Worcester, Wicomico and Somerset, to introduce a bill authorizing and empowering the Commissioners of Worcester county, if in their judgment they deem it proper to subscribe to the capital stock of the Worcester Railroad Company to an amount not exceeding \$50,000.

On motion by Mr. Earle,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to report a bill for the payment of the following bills:

Messrs. Cushing & Bailey, J. E. & G. Munroe, and Mr. Thomas A. Makibbin.

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Walsh, Henkle, Brewer, Parker, of Calvert, and Denson to introduce a bill to authorize the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company to lay a railroad track in certain streets in the city of Baltimore, and to make an appropriation for the expenses thereof, on account of and for the interest of the Tobacco Fund.

On motion by Mr. Malone,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill entitled an Act to amend the 16th Article of the Code of Public General Laws by adding thereto an additional section relating to Courts of Equity.