

promotion of the Mechanic Arts, passed December session, 1849, chapter 114, and to enact a substitute therefor, and to add additional sections thereto, as sections 8 and 9.

Which was read the first time.

Also, reported unfavorably

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal the Act of 1867, chapter 372, entitled an Act to further extend the time and provisions of the Act passed February 6th, chap 15, and March 14th, 1864, chapter 373, and the supplements thereto, relating to the payment of bounties to volunteers and drafted men of this State, and to substitute therefor an Act to provide for the payment of additional bounties;

On motion by Mr. Henkle, it was

Ordered, That this bill be recommitted to a special committee of five with instructions to report this or some other bill, which, in their judgment, will best promote the ends of equal justice to all of our citizens,

And the President pro tem appointed Messrs. Henkle, Malone, Maddox, Lee and Fields.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered

House Resolutions of thanks to the President and ladies of the Southern Relief Association of Maryland.

Which were read the first time and referred to a select committee consisting of Messrs. Henkle, Grove, Earle, Miller and Snyder.

Also,

House bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Maryland Union Coal Company.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Also,

House bill entitled an Act to authorize the Board of Directors of the Maryland Insurance and Security Company to reduce the par value of the shares of the capital stock of said company, and to issue new stock in shares of such reduced value,

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Also,

House bill to incorporate the Frederick and Emmittsburg Rail Road Company.