

16th Article of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Chancery," relating to divorces, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Mr. Biddison (the rules being suspended) submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the State Librarian keep the Library open from the hours of 2 to 7, P. M., for the accommodation of Members of the Legislature.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Iglehart, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported favorably a bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Marine Railway and Manufacturing Company of Havre de Grace, and to amend the Act of 1867, chapter 211,

Which was read a first time.

Also, reported favorably a bill entitled a supplement to an Act passed by the General Assembly of Maryland at January Session in 1864, chapter 96, entitled an Act to incorporate the Liberty and New Windsor Turnpike Road Company in Frederick and Carroll counties,

Which was read a first time.

Also, a bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Washington County Savings Institution ;

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Wentz, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported favorably from a majority of the committee, a bill entitled an Act to authorize and require the Comptroller to correct the errors in the distribution of the "Free School Fund," accruing under the Acts of 1813 and 1816, from the year 1852 to the year 1867, inclusive, and to pay to Baltimore city and to Baltimore county the amounts ;

Which was read a first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Coudy,

Ordered to be printed.

Mr. Herbert, from same committee, submitted the following minority report :

The undersigned, a minority of the Committee on Education, to whom said bill was referred, beg leave to dissent from said report, for the reason that they do not consider it the province of said committee to act upon bills of this character. but would very respectfully suggest that it be referred to the Committee on Claims, where it properly belongs.

F. DORSEY HERBERT,

C. S. KEECH,

CHAS. F. WENNER.

Which was read.

The hour of 12 o'clock M. having arrived,

The House, in accordance with the Act of Congress, chapter 245, entitled an Act to regulate the time and manner of holding elections for Senators in Congress, proceeded to hold in election for a Senator to succeed the Hon. Reverdy Johnson in the Congress of the United States.