[Mar. 10,

An Act to appropriate a certain sum of money to the Hon. Philip F. Thomas for public services.

THOMAS SWANN,

Governor.

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. McElroy,

At 23 o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

## PROCEEDINGS

## IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

TUESDAY, March 10th, 1868.

The Committee met.

Mr. Brown in the Chair.

The Committee took up for consideration the bill antitled an Act to add a new Article to the Code of Public General Laws to be entitled "Public Education," providing a general system of Free Public Schools for the State of Maryland, and to repeal all Laws inconsistent therewith with pending amendment, which had been committed to them by the House.

The question recurring upon the House amendment submitted by Mr. Iglehart.

Pending the consideration of which,

Mr. Robb moved that the Committee do now rise, report progress and ask leave to sit again;

Decided in the negative.

The question then recurring upon the amendment,

Mr. Bond, of Baltimore city, moved that the Committee do now rise, report progress and ask leave to sit again;

Decided in the affirmative.

The Committee then rose.