more Rail Road Company, H. F. Kenny, Esq., Superintendent of the said Company, S. M. Felton, Esq., President of the Philadelphia and Baltimore Central Rail Road Company, and Thomas Donaldson, Esq., Attorney for both Companies, to say, that these gentlemen responded promptly to the summons of your Committee, and in the course of investigation throughout, manifested every desire to give all required information. They treated your Committee with every mark of respect, and expressed themselves as willing and anxious to meet any further investigations which your Honorable Body may deem necessary to make.

All of which we respectfully submit.

JAMES TOUCHSTONE, Ch'n.
JOHN S. BROWN,
WILLIAM RICHARDS,
BENJAMIN SILVER,
G. MORRIS BOND.

Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. McElroy, Chairman of a select committee, reported favorably

A bill entitled an Act to regulate and make uniform the compensation of the Judges of the Orphans' Courts of the several counties, and to fix the compensation of the Judges of the Orphans' Court of Baltimore city.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Chaisty, Chairman of a select committee, reported favorably

A bill entitled an Act to repeal section 939, Article 4, of the Public Local Laws, relating to Baltimore city, sub-title Water, as enacted by chapter 38 of the Act of the General Assembly, passed at the January session, 1866, and to reenact the said section so as to read as follows.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Davis, of Carroll, Chairman of a select committee, reported favorably

A bill entitled an Act to authorize the opening of a road in Carroll and Howard counties.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Hubbard, Chairman of a select committee, reported favorably

Senate bill entitled an Act to to authorize the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline county to purchase a book and to index the land records of said county.