

administration of said Company. Said Committee to report to the Senate, at an early day, the result of its investigations.

Which was read and adopted.

The President appointed as said Committee, Senators Henry, Clarke and Sellman.

Senators Kimmel and Stephenson were excused from serving on the Joint Committee to visit the Beneficiary and Reformatory Institutions in the State.

The President appointed Senators Denson and Malone to fill said vacancies.

The House bill entitled an Act for the protection of Fish and Terrapins in the Potomac river, lying in St. Mary's county, and to regulate the time and manner of catching and taking Fish in that portion of the Potomac river, &c.,

Being upon its third reading,

Mr. Miller submitted the following amendment:

Strike out in the 5th line, 1st section, the words "waters or,"

Which was adopted.

The section, as amended, was then read and adopted.

Said bill was then read the third time, and passed by yeas and nays, as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,
Clarke,
Denson,
Earle.
Fields,
Henkle,
Henry,
Hyland,
Kimmel,
Maddox,

Miller,
Parker,
Sellman,
Snyder,
Spates,
Stephenson,
Timmons,
Welch,
Wilson—19.

NEGATIVE—None.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Welch, from the Select Committee to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to permit the hunting of Foxes in Kent county, asked to be discharged from the further consideration thereof.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Said bill was then referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.