On motion by Mr. Clarke,

Leave was granted to the Senators from Baltimore, Frederick and Anne Arundel counties, to introduce a bill to create an additional Justice of the Peace for the eleventh election district of Baltimore county.

On motion by Mr. Henkle,

Leave was granted to the Senators from Anne Arundel, Baltimore and Frederick counties, to report a bill to authorize and require the Commissioners of Anne Arundel county to change the place of holding elections in the eighth election district of said county to a more central and suitable location.

On motion by Mr. Henkle,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance, to repeal section 7 of an Act entitled amendatory of an Act entitled an Act to establish and endow an Agricultural College in Maryland, passed at the January session of 1866, chapter 53.

On motion by Mr. Henkle,

Leave was granted to the Senators from Anne Arundel, St. Mary's and Calvert counties to report a bill to prohibit dredging for oysters in the waters of Anne Arundel county.

On motion by Mr. Earle,

Leave was granted to Senators Earle, Welch and Jump to report a bill to prevent the erection of gates on the public roads of Queen Anne's county, and for the discontinuance of those which now obstruct said roads.

Mr. Stephenson, from the Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the Joint Resolutions relating to the cattle scales in Baltimore county,

Reported them without amendment.

Said Resolutions were then read the second time.

Mr. Stephenson submitted the following Joint Resolution :

JOINT RESOLUTION.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Comptroller of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized to settle and adjust the claims of the State against William G. Burk, late Sheriff of Harford county, and that the said late Sheriff be allowed in such settlement for all claims for fines, forfeitures, or any other account against insolvent person or persons from whom the said late Sheriff failed to collect the money by reason of the inability of the parties to pay, or because of their absconding from the State