

On motion of Mr. Cameron,

Leave was granted to the Baltimore county delegation to introduce a bill to authorize the Commissioners of Baltimore county to levy a sum of money to pay for the rebuilding of two bridges near Wm. H. Hoffman's Paper Mills, in the sixth election district of Baltimore county.

On motion of Mr. Marbury,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to amend the charter incorporating the village of Bladensburg, Prince George's county, Maryland.

On motion of Mr. Turner,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill entitled an Act to amend Article 1, section 1, of the Constitution of Maryland, entitled "Election Franchise."

Mr. Merrick, Chairman of a Joint Select Committee, on the part of the House, submitted the following

JOINT RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer is hereby required and directed, under the direction of the Governor, to sell the remaining bonds of the Defence Loan to the amount of three hundred and eleven thousand nine hundred and seventy-nine dollars and seventy-four cents, the proceeds to be applied to the current wants of the Treasury, and to be reimbursed to said Defence Loan Fund from the general revenue, whenever the same may be required for disbursement under the provisions of expiring laws.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Merrick moved that the rules be suspended and the Resolution read a second time this day.

The yeas and nays were ordered and appeared, as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.	Biddle,	Ehlen,
Latrobe, Speaker,	Marbury,	Gardner,
Martin,	Duvall,	Markland,
Beck,	Thomas, of Q. A.,	Marshall,
Wilmer,	Purnell,	Neill,
Kilbourn,	Thomas, of Fred.,	Welty,
Baldwin, of A. A.,	Bowlus,	Murdock,
Owings,	Ritter,	Sword,
Duke,	White,	Seibert,
Mitchell,	Harris,	Watkins,
Carroll,	Baldwin, of Har.,	Kean,
Cameron,	Streett,	Wilson, of Alle.,