

Which was read and referred to the Allegany delegation.

Mr. Nutwell submitted the following order:

Ordered, That it be entered upon the Journal that Messrs. Etchison and Róbey, of Prince George's, and Messrs. Hawkins and Lancaster, of Charles, were absent yesterday on account of the cars failing to make the proper connection.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Waters submitted the following order:

Ordered, That a Committee of five be appointed by the Speaker of this House, whose duty it shall be to proceed to Baltimore and inquire into the affairs of the State Tobacco Warehouses, and that said Committee have power to send for persons and papers.

Which was rejected.

Mr. Seth submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the Speaker appoint a Committee of three members to inquire into the expediency of arranging a suitable room as a coat-room, for the accommodation of members.

Which was adopted, and Messrs Seth, Fowler and Loane constituted said committee.

Mr. Keech submitted the following order:

Ordered, That it be entered upon the Journal of this House, that Mr. Matthews, of Baltimore county, was prevented from taking his seat in this House yesterday by important and pressing business.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Staylor submitted the following order:

Ordered, That all Committees, whether traveling or otherwise, that have been appointed or may hereafter be appointed by this House, shall not receive any extra compensation for their services, unless for necessary expenses incurred, the amount of said expenses to be handed in with their Report.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Maclin,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to incorporate a Company to construct a turnpike road from West Friendship to Linden, in Howard county, to be known and called the West Friendship and Linden Turnpike.