

Ordered, That the Committee on Internal Improvements, inquire as to the railroad connections between the Cities of Baltimore and New York, and Washington and New York, with a view, if the Legislature has any power in the premises, to the adoption of such measures as may secure to the public, through transportation of passengers and freight between those cities.

. On motion by Mr. Davis,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance, to report a bill relating to Auctioneers in Baltimore county.

Mr. Getty offered the following order :

Ordered, That so much of the Governor's Message as relates to Garrett county, be referred to a Select Committee of three.

Which was read and adopted.

The President appointed Messrs. Getty, Aydelotte and Tuck to constitute said Committee.

• On motion by Mr. Steiner,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Education, to report a bill, entitled, "An Act to repeal Sections 2 and 3, of Chapter II., of an Act passed at the January Session, 1872, Chapter 377, entitled, an Act to repeal an Act passed at the January Session of 1870, entitled, an Act to repeal an Act passed at January Session, 1868, entitled, Public Education, providing a general system of Free Public Schools for the State of Maryland, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, and to re-enact the same with amendments ; and to substitute in lieu of Sections 2 and 3, of Chapter II., the following : making the Boards of County Commissioners and of District School Trustees elective by the people."

On motion by Mr. Tuck,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill, to be entitled, "An Act to authorize the transfer of certain Land Records and extracts of deeds from the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals, to the office of the Commissioner of the Land Office, to repeal Section 40 of Article 18 of the Code of Public General Laws, and to repeal Section 55 of the same Article, and to enact a substitute therefor."

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Walsh, Longwell and Lloyd, to introduce a bill authorizing the Board of County Commis-