

Mr. Brattan, from the Committee on Corporations, reported favorably on

The Senate bill entitled "An Act supplementary to an Act entitled an Act to incorporate the Worcester Rail Road Company, passed at the January Session, 1853, with amendments enacted on the 18th March, 1867, and to repeal section 18 of said Act, or any other part of said Act inconsistent with this Act."

Which was read the first time and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Lloyd, from a Select Committee, reported favorably on

The Senate bill entitled "An Act to authorize the construction of fire-proof vaults in the Court House at Easton.

Which was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Billingsley,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to provide a suitable building for the use of the State Normal School and to appropriate a sum of money therefor."

On motion by Mr. Lloyd,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Lloyd, Walsh and McCulloh to report a bill for the relief of Oliver P. Sparks, late Collector of Talbot county.

On motion by Mr. Claggett,

The Senate adjourned.

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WEDNESDAY, February 18th, 1874.

The Senate met.

Prayer by Rev. Father Oberley.

The following Senators answered at roll call:

Messrs. President, Aydelott, Blake, Brewer, Billingsley, Brattan, Claggett, Davis, Denson, Earle, Fields, Getty, Longwell, Lloyd, Mudd, McCulloh, Phelps, Stevens, Steiner, Spencer, Tuck, Walsh—22.