

Davis,  
Earle,  
Fields,

Steiner,  
Walsh—19.

So the veto of the Governor was sustained.

On motion by Mr. Crawford, it was

Ordered, That leave of absence be granted to J. D. Johnson, Assistant Doorkeeper, for a few days.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication :

OFFICE ANNAPOLIS & ELK RIDGE RAIL ROAD COMPANY,  
Annapolis, February 25th, 1874.

*Hon. John Lee Carroll,*

*President of the Senate of Maryland :*

DEAR SIR :—I have the honor to send herewith the report of this Company, in compliance with the Resolution of the Senate of the 22d of January.

Very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

D. R. MAGRUDER,  
*President.*

[See Document M.]

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Mr. Blake, it was

Ordered, That it be placed on the Journal that Thomas Whitten, Doorkeeper, is absent in consequence of sickness in his family.

Mr. Billingsley presented the Fifth Annual Report of St. Mary's Industrial School for Boys, of the city of Baltimore.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Education.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates appeared and returned

The Senate bill entitled "An Act to add an additional section to Article XL. of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled 'fines and forfeitures to come in after section 3.'"

Endorsed, "Passed by yeas and nays with following amendment :"

**AMENDMENT PROPOSED.**

Amend the body of the bill by striking out the words