by you, in the discharge of the duty devolved upon you as the Committee representing the General Assembly of Maryland.

For each, and for all of you, gentlemen, and for the distinguished body which you represent, I beg you will accept the assurance of my grateful regard, with my sincerest admiration and respect.

I have the pleasure to be your obliged and obedient servant,

## CHARLES H. GIBSON.

Ordered spread on Journal and Committee discharged with the thanks of the House.

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS—SECOND READING.

Mr. Combs, from the Committee on Federal Relations, reported favorably,

Senate Joint Resolution instructing the Senators and requesting the Representatives in Congress from Maryland to take action with view to securing and preserving Temple Farm the Moore House at Yorktown, Va., by the United States.

Which was read a second time, and passed by yeas and nays, as follows:

Affirmative—Messrs. Combs, Strong, Brashears, Donaldson, Hutchins, Sappington, of Anne Arundel, Ireland, Carrico, Maddox, Orrick, Cole, Elliott, Hamilton, Jr., Monmonier, Schlaffer, Collins, Wooters, Sterling, Meredith, Smith, of Dorchester, Hill, Perrie, McSherry, Gaver, Grove, of Frederick, Sappington, of Frederick, Stearns, Deen, Johnson, Fitzgerald, Carter, O'Conor, Sams, Carr, Cornthwaite, Joyce, Smith, of Washington, La.rd, Young, Hosken. Sr., Stottlemeyer, Haines, Sellman, Berret, Leeds, Ellegood, Laws, Moore, Bittinger—49.

## NEGATIVE-None.

Said resolution was then returned to the Senate.
On motion of Mr. Fitzgerald,

The House, at 2.30 P. M., adjourned.