On motion of Mr. Green, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Anderson be excused from to-night's session.

On motion of Mr. Canby, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Garner be excused from attendance on to-night's session, on account of sickness.

On motion of Mr. Hayman, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Franklin be excused from tonight's session, on account of important business.

On motion of Mr. Wooters, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Collins be excused from tonight's session.

On motion of Mr. Bowie, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Perrie be excused from to-night's session, on account of sickness.

Mr. Hill submitted the following order, viz:

Ordered, That the Librarian furnish each Standing Committee of this House one copy of "A key to the Maryland Code and Acts of Assembly of 1890," compiled by James W. Owens, at a cost of one dellar for each copy.

Which was read and adopted by yeas and nays, as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.—Messrs. Speaker, Combs, Strong, Wilson, Brashears, Donaldson, Sappington, of Anne Arundel, Lane, Carrico, Maddox, Orrick, Cole, Elliott, Hamilton, Jr., Monmonier, Schlaffer, Wooters, Leonard, Green, Sterling, Miles, Beeks, Bowie, of Prince George's, Hill, Hayman, McSherry, Gaver, Grove, of Frederick, Bevard, Hayward, Deen, Johnson, Thompson, Fitzgerald, Brennan, Field, Bowie, of Balto. city, Gill, Sanders, Cornthwaite, Smith, of Washington, Fockler, Shafer, Garrott, Barber, Young, Hosken, Sr., Stottlemeyer, Haines, Sellman, Berret, Tracey, Haslup, Laws—54.

NEGATIVE-Messrs. Sams, Carr, Ellegood, Moore,

Bittinger, Michaels-6.

## LEAVES TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Smith,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Ways and Means to introduce a bill entitled an Act to refund