tions of the different commands engaged in the battle of Antietam and of the Monocacy, and for preserving said battle-fields for historical purposes.

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Mr. Grove, of Cecil, introduced,

House bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Elkton Electric Light and Power Company.

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. O'Conor introduced,

House bill entitled an Act to add an additional section to Article 27, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "False Pretenses," to protect the drivers of cabs, hacks, coaches or other vehicles, licensed to carry passengers for hire, from swindlers, frauds and beats.

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Secretary of the Senate appeared and delivered the following message:

Senate bill entitled an Act to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Kent county to open a street or road through certain private property in said county.

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Kent County Delegation and Mr. Michaels.

Also,

Senate bill entitled an Act to extend the charter of Mount Savage Lodge, No. 43, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, granted by the General Assembly of Maryland, at its December Session, 1844, chapter 293, and to grant additional powers to said corporation.

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Also,

Senate bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Isle of Wight Inlet and Oyster Planting Company of Worcester county.

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Worcester County Delegation.