

Mr. Freeman submitted the following order,

Ordered, that the Finance Committee report forthwith the several Local Option, or Temperance bills now in their hands.

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

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Combs, of Allegany,	Hill,
Dennis,	Lancaster,
Franklin,	Newcomer,
Freeman,	Steiner,
Garey,	Sulivane—11.
Hepbron,	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. President,	Joyce,
Bannon,	McLane,
Cooper,	Miller,
Ford,	Stump—9.
Gorman,	

The Hon. R. C. Hollyday, Secretary of State, appeared and delivered a communication from the Executive endorsed "Executive business."

Mr. Gorman, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to refund to Rebecca G. Gelston and Isaac D. Jones, Administrators C. T. A., of Hugh Gelston, Roxanna Marden, Executrix of Jesse Marden, Henry Brown and Hamilton Easter, certain taxes erroneously paid.

Which was read the second time.

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

Senate bill entitled an Act to amend the Act of 1874, Chapter 365, entitled an Act to incorporate the Maryland Canal Company, by repealing Sections 2 and 3, of said Act, and by re-enacting the said sections in new and amended forms.

Which was read the first time.

Also, favorably,

House bill entitled an Act supplement to the Act incorporating the Western Maryland Railroad Company.

Which was read the second time.