

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE.

Annapolis, March 22d, 1878.

The following Senate bill having passed both Branches of the General Assembly, was this day presented to the Governor for his approval :

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary of the Senate.

No. 155. An Act to adjust and settle finally by an agreement, all pending controversies between the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company and the State of Maryland, by subjecting the franchises and property of said Company, within this State, to taxation for State purposes to a certain extent, and by providing for the payment of a certain indebtedness of the said Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, to the said State, and for the establishment, by contract, of certain rates of toll and transportation for coal, lumber, pig-iron, ores of all kind, and stone transported by the said Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company to the basins of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, at or near Cumberland, and by providing, on certain conditions, for the release of the right of the State to any proportion of the moneys received by the said Company for the transportation of passengers on its Railroad between Baltimore and Washington, otherwise than by way of dividends upon its stock in the Washington Branch Railroad, of said Company.

On motion by Mr. McLane, it was

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby, directed to furnish one copy of the map of Pier-head and Bulkhead Lines of the Harbor of Baltimore to each member of the Senate, the Secretary of State, Comptroller of the Treasury, Commissioner of the Land Office, President of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, State Librarian and Insurance Commissioner, and twenty-five copies to be forwarded by Senator Cooper to the owners of water fronts and harbor masters of Baltimore City.

On motion by Mr. Bannon, it was

Ordered, That the Chairman of the Committee on Claims be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to Charles E. Maguire, assistant door-keeper, his per diem from the commencement of the present session.

On motion by Mr. Gorman,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act supplementary and