Hooper, Waters, of Dor., Scott,
Baldwin, Riggs, Farrow,
Whitelock, Hinks, Ranger—15.

So the report was adopted.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported favorably,

The Senate bill entitled an Act to require the stationery purchased for the use of the Library, Senate and House of Delegates, to be contracted for by the Comptroller, Treasurer and Librarian,

Which was read a second time.

Also, favorably,

The bill entitled an Act to repeal the fourth Section of Article 81, of the Code of Public General Laws of this State, as the same was enacted by the Act of January Session, 1874, chapter 483, and to enact a new Section in lieu of the said fourth Section so repealed,

Which was read a second time.

Also, favorably,

The Senate bill entitled an Act to add an additional Section to Article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws, of the City of Baltimore, sub-title "Taxes and Loans," as sub-Section "873 A."

Which was read a second time.

Also, unfavorably,

The Senate bill entitled an Act to add certain additional Sections to Article 81, of the Code of Public Laws of the State of Maryland, entitled "Revenue and Taxes," providing for the assessment of property heretofore or hereafter omitted to be assessed, and for the collection of State Taxes payable therein,

The unfavorable report was adopted.

Mr. Farrow, from the Committee on Section 24, Article 3, of the Constitution, submitted the following minority

REPORT.

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Delegates:

The undersigned, members of the Joint Standing Committee of the Senate and House of Delegates, appointed under Article 3, Section 24, of the Constitution, to which was referred the order adopted by the House of Delegates, January 18th, 1876, directing your Committee to inquire whether the charges made in the Republican Press of the State, during the past campaign, that a Public Officer of this State at-