

Mr. Walsh, from the Joint Committee on Public Buildings, submitted the following

REPORT.

The Joint Committee on Public Buildings respectfully report, that in obedience to Senate order adopted January 19, 1876, they visited the Governor's Mansion, and recommend that the sum of three thousand dollars be appropriated for repairs to furniture, and procuring articles necessary for the uses of the Executive Mansion.

JNO. CARROLL WALSH,
Chairman Senate Committee.

JOHN R. BROOKE,
Chairman House Committee.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Mr. Brewer,

The memorial of the Maryland State Grange, in regard to the class of wandering mendicants called tramps, heretofore presented, and which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, was transferred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, with instructions to report a bill in accordance with the requirements of the memorial.

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal Sections 2, 5 and 7, of Article 13, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Bastardy and Fornication,"

Being upon its second reading,

Mr. Walsh submitted the following amendment :

In 7th Section, line 11, strike out 50 and insert 100.

Which was decided in the affirmative by yeas and nays as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,
Brewer,
Cooper,
Dennis,
Getty,
Hepbron,
Knight,
Lawrence,

Lloyd,
McCulloh,
Mudd,
Phelps,
Stevens,
Steiner,
Walsh—15.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Duke,
Freeman,
Ford,
Gorman,
Humphreys,

Joyce,
Lee,
Newcomer,
Suit—9.