Security and Land Company of Baltimore city, by enlarging the powers and reducing the par value of its shares of stock. Also,

A bill entitled an Act to authorize the Potomac Bridge Company, to borrow money, and issue bonds therefor.

On motion by Mr. Ford,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to incorporate the Purchasers of the Queen Anne's and Kent County Railroad Company.

On motion by Mr. Duke,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Duke, Newcomer and Freeman, to introduce a bill entitled an Act to empower the Clerk of the County Commissioners for Calvert and Washington counties, to administer an oath or affirmation to any person presenting a claim to the Commissioners of said counties against the county.

On motion by Mr. Mudd,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill entitled an Act to enable Francis L. McDonald and Mary Jay Frankland, of England, to take and hold certain lands lying in Charles county, Maryland, which were held by Frederick Dawson, late of said State, in trust for certain parties named in said Act.

Mr. Lloyd, from the Committee on Finance, reported unfavorably.

Senate bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to put in repair the National Road from Cumberland west to Pennsylvania line.

Which was adopted.

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

Senate bill entitled an Act to provide for the payment of the counsel employed to represent the State in the arbitration between Maryland and Virginia upon the Boundary Line between the said States, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor, and for other expenses of said arbitration.

Being upon its second reading,

Mr. Suit moved to recommit said bill to the Committee on Finance.

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

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President, Brewer, Freeman, Joyce, Newcomer, Phelps, Steiner, Suit—8.