STATE OF MARYLAND, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, Annapolis, March 11, 1876.

Gentlemen of the Senate of Maryland:

I have approved and signed the following Acts that ori-

ginated in the Senate:

No. 59. An Act to repeal an Act passed at January Session, 1874, chapter 436, entitled an Act to repeal chapter 169, of the Act of 1872, entitled an Act for the better protection of Partridges in Queen Anne's county; and also to add an additional Section to Article 98 of the Code.

No. 60. An Act to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of making repairs and additions to the furniture of, and for procuring articles necessary for the uses of the Execu-

tive Mansion.

No. 61. An Act to provide for the sale to the County Commissioners of Cecil county of the State's interest in the Bohemia Bridge Company.

No. 62. An Act to prevent the increase of gates on the

public roads in Calvert county.

JOHN LEE CARROLL.

Which was read.

Office Secretary Strate, Annapolis, March 11th, 1876.

The following Senate bill having passed both branches of the General Assembly of Maryland, was this day presented

to His Excellency, the Governor, for his approval:

An Act to amend the Act passed at the present session of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, chapter three hundred and thirty-four, approved March thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled an Act supplementary and amendatory of an Act, passed at the present session of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled an Act to amend the charter of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad Company, passed at the January Session, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, chapter 469, and to further repeal and amend said last named Act by amending the third section thereof and re-enacting the same as amended.

Augustus Gassaway, Secretary of Senate.

House bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to pay John J. Abbott, late Collector of State Taxes in Carroll county, the amount overpaid by him into the Treasury, Was read the third time and passed by year and nays as follows: