Mr. Stone submitted the following resolutions:

Whereas, The late deplorable events that occurred in the city of Baltimore, were caused by a misapprehension of the object of the passage of the troops over the soil of Maryland;

And Whereas, That object was for the protection of our National Capital, in the preservation of which our State is more deeply interest than any other, and not as many supposed for the purpose of attacking any of our sister States, therefore

Be it Resolved, By the Senate of Maryland, That the passage of troops over the soil of Maryland for the protection of the National Capital should not be considered an act of aggression on the part of the General Government.

And be it further Resolved, That if any more troops than those now within the borders of the State should be necessary for the protection of our Capital, that we recommend they be transported by the different railroad companies over their roads.

And be it further Resolved, That the Governor be requested to do, what, in his judgment, may seem best calculated to produce harmony, and restore the travel on the different railroads to and rom Baltimore.

Which were read, and referred to the joint select committee.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester, from the select committee, reported favorably on the following bill:

A bill, entitled, An act to amend the 17, 18, 26, 27, and 29th sections of article fifty four, of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the Land Office.

Which was read the second time, and, by special order, the third time, and passed by yeas and nays as follows:

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Brooke, President; Kimmel, Blackistone, Lynch, Nuttle, Bradley, Smith, Dashiell, Franklin, Stone, Grahame, Townsend, Watkins, Gardiner, Goldsborough, of Talbot; Whitaker, Goldsborough, of Dor.; Yellott-19. Heckart.

## NEGATIVE-NONE.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.