The President submitted the following:

DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE, ROOM 219, CITY HALL,

Baltimore, January 6, 1916.

Hon. Peter J. Campbell,

President State Senate,

Annapolis, Md.

MY DEAR SENATOR:

I will greatly appreciate it if you will see that an order is passed by the Senate directing the State Printer to furnish this Department with 15 copies of every bill and four copies of the Senate Journal. I may say that during the sessions of 1908, 1910, 1912 and 1914 this Department received the bills and journals as requested for this year. I may also say for your information that the Department desires to have this number of the bills and journals in order to exchange with similar departments in some of the other more important States, and also to have a few copies available for city officials and others in Baltimore interested in legislation at Annapolis.

If a daily calendar is provided, I will also appreciate it if you will see that a copy of this is furnished this Department, and that the printer also be directed to furnish at least one copy of the third-reading file bills. The bills which we receive are indexed daily and an effort is made to show the progress of the bills through the Legislature, and it is very important that we receive a copy of the third-reading file, as well

as of the bills as introduced.

I am enclosing you a copy of the order passed by the Senate at its last session.

Trusting that you will be able to comply with this request and thanking you for your many past favors, I am,

Very truly yours,

Horace E. Flack, Executive.

P. S.—I am also enclosing you two copies of the form of order which covers the request for this year.

[Which was read.] [On motion of Mr. Collier, it was ordered spread upon the Journal.]