new and additional section to follow Section 5 and to be known as Section 5-A." [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.]

By Mr. Ogden: Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "An Act to make an annual appropriation for the payment of the salaries of the members of the Public Service Commission of Maryland and the general counsel of the said commission, State Industrial Accident Commission of Maryland and the State Tax Commission of Maryland by the State of Maryland, and to relieve the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore from the necessity of paying any portion of such salary." [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

## INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Bomberger, Joint Resolution No. —: Joint Resolution in memory of Samuel Emmert, Senator from Washington county in the Sessions of 1912 and 1914, who died December 6, 1915, during the recess of the term for which he was elected.

WHEREAS, During the recess of the Senate of Maryland in the Session of 1914, Samuel Emmert, a member representing Washington county in the Sessions of 1912 and 1914, died on December 6, 1915; and

WHEREAS, The news of his death was received with profound regret that a useful and honorable life had so suddenly ended; and

WHEREAS, During his service, he was distinguished and respected by his fellow-Senators for his many traits of courtesy, kindness and consideration; his high sense of duty and devotion to the public interests were such as earned for him not only the gratitude and love of the people of his county, but were treasured by thousands of friends throughout the State; therefore, be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That in the death of Samuel Emmert, the State has lost a worthy official, whose example and service entitled him to the highest consideration and respect. A man trained in the science of business, he brought to the performance of his public duty those attributes of character, integrity and ability which his fellow-Senators were quick to recognize and accorded him a high place in their esteem. His energy and industry, coupled with