

tice, to bring in a bill, entitled an act to secure the right of property to females.

On motion of Mr. Gaither,

Ordered, That the commissioners of lotteries be required to report to this house an abstract of the bonds which may have been taken under acts of Assembly, authorising lotteries, particularising the penalties, the names of the obligees therein, and the means which they have taken by affidavit or otherwise, to inform themselves of the sufficiency of such securities, and that they report in what instances, commissioners in place of selling schemes have undertaken to sell the tickets therein, and whether any tickets in lotteries authorised by this State are sold by others, than those who are regularly licensed to sell lottery tickets.

Mr. Coad submitted the following order :

Ordered, That it be entered on the journal, [that if Mr. Coad, from St. Mary's county, had been present when the vote was taken, on the bill to increase the tolls on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, he would have voted in the affirmative;

Which was read,

On motion of Mr. Frazier,

Said order was amended by inserting after the words "Saint Mary's county," the following "and Mr. Frazier from Dorchester county,"

The said order was then read the second time as amended and assented to.

On motion of Mr. Richardson,

Ordered, That it be entered on the journal, that if Mr. Richardson, from Frederick county, had been present when the vote was taken on the bill to increase the tolls on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, he would have voted against it.

Mr. Forman submitted the following order :

Ordered, That a select committee of five members be appointed by the Speaker, to whom shall be referred all the documents relating to the Maryland Penitentiary; and that said committee have leave to visit that institution to inspect its condition, if it should be found necessary.

Which was twice read; and

On motion of Mr. Forman,

Ordered to lie on the table;

On motion of Mr. Le Grand,

Ordered, That the committee on divorces, report to this house, the bill divorcing Charlotte A. Vaughan, from her husband, John Vaughan;

Mr. Frazier, chairman of the committee on divorces, made a favorable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled an act to divorce Charlotte A. Vaughan, from her husband, John Vaughan;

Which was read the first, and by a special order the second time, and passed.

Mr. Matthews, chairman of the committee on pensions and revo-