Which was read and referred to Messrs. Gaither, England, Gittings, Gott, Dorsey, Gantt and Estep.

On motion of Mr. Causin,

Leave was granted the committee on corporations to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled a supplement to an act to extend the charters of the several Banks of the city of Baltimore, passed at December session 1834, ch. 274.

On motion of Mr. E. A. Lynch,

Ordered, That the committee on internal improvements be permitted to sit during the sittings of the house; that they be and they are hereby authorised to send for persons and papers, and if, in their opinion necessary, to proceed to the city of Frederick to investigate the condition of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, and to employ a clerk if necessary.

On motion of Mr. England,

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore be requested to transmit to this house the report on reports of the Commissioner of Loans, as required by the act of December session 1834, ch. 279, showing the amount of bonds on stock issued by him up to the 1st January, 1841.

Mr. William Lynch obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled a further supplement to the act to incorporate the town of Jefferson,

in Frederick county;

Ordered, That Messrs. Wm. Lynch, Richardson, Motter, Naill

and E. A. Lynch report the same.

Mr. Sprigg of Allegany, obtained leave to bring in a bill to incorporate the town of Frostburg, in Allegany county;

Ordered, That Messrs. Sprigg of Allegany, Thayer and Coombs report the same.

On motion of Mr. England,

Ordered, That the committee on elections and privileges be directed to examine the election laws in force in this State, and to report by bill or otherwise, any amendment or addition, if the same should

be thought necessary by them;

Mr. Lecompte, chairman of the select committee, to which was referred the petition of Frederick Fowble, praying for relief therein mentioned, reported that the said committee had had the same under consideration and deemed it inexpedient to grant the prayer of the petitioner, and that he have leave to withdraw the same with the accompanying papers;

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

and concurred in.

Mr. Maxwell reported a bill, entitled a supplement to an act, entitled an act to authorise the commissioners of Cecil county, to levy a sum of money to rebuild a bridge over Octorara creek, in Cecil county, passed at December session 1838, chapter 200;

Mr. Maxwell also reported a bill, entitled a supplement to an act entitled an act to authorise the commissioners of Cecil county, to levy