

rees, who fell in that great struggle, and are now bleaching in the upturned furrows, may be gathered for a decent burial, and their memories embalmed in some suitable memorial.

*Resolved*, That the aforesaid committee be, and they are hereby authorized to inquire into the expediency of erecting at the expense of the State, a suitable monument of native granite, upon the battle field of South Mountain, in memory of General Reno, and his brave companions in arms who fell upon that spot and consecrated it forever to the genius and spirit of American Patriotism, and to every lover of Liberty and Law, throughout the World ;

Which were read the first time and referred to Messrs. Firey, Ohr and Jenkins.

On motion of Mr. Purnell,

Ordered, That the Librarian be directed to furnish a pen-knife to each of the clerks and other officers of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Stirling,

Leave was granted the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to report a bill to amend the 40th Article of General Law, so as to prescribe an oath of allegiance to Jurors.

On motion of Mr. Bayne,

Leave was granted the committee on Finance, to report a bill to release William McKnew, John N. Robey, Ninian Beall, Geo. W. Duvall, of Geo., Thomas Harvey and Richard H. Duvall, sureties on the collectors bond of Mason E. McKnew from the payment of interest due the State, date of bond 1859.

On motion of Mr. Stirling,

Leave was granted the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to report a bill to amend the tenth Article of Public General Law, so as to prescribe an oath of allegiance for Attornies at Law.

Also, Leave to report a bill to protect the people against pickpockets by punishing the offence of being a common thief and pickpocket.

Also, Leave to report a bill to punish the offense of stealing from the person.

On motion of Mr. Briscoe,

Leave was granted the committee on Finance to report a bill, to pay Daniel Kent, late clerk of the Circuit Court for Calvert county, certain fees due him by the State.