

Mr. Trail, from the committee on Militia, reported favorably on memorial of Rev. L. Van Bokkelin, asking an exchange of fifty Belgian muskets for the same number of Cadet muskets;”

And recommended the adoption of the following order :

Ordered, That the Adjutant General exchange with the Rev. L. Van Bokkelen, fifty muskets with equipments suitable for the use of the students of his school, upon his returning to the State Armory, the same number of Belgian rifles and equipments now in his possession.

The report was received and the order adopted.

Mr. Stubbs, from a select committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, “An Act to repeal sections 197, 203 and 207, of article 8, Public Local Laws, entitled, ‘Cecil county,’ relating to ‘Schools,’ and re-enact the same with amendments;”

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Ecker, from a select committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, “An Act to enable the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Westminster, to enclose an alley in said city, running parallel with Covrt street in said city, and sell or otherwsse dispose of the same;”

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Lester, from a select committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, “An Act to refund to Julia Gittings, administratrix of Thomas E. Gittings, certain taxes erroneously paid;”

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Ecker, from a select committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, “An Act to incorporate the New Windsor Savings Institution;”

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Greene, from a select committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, “An Act to authorize the county commissioners of Allegany county, to borrow a sum of money to pay volunteers to be mustered into the service of the United States, and to legalize and make valid certain acts and orders passed by said commissioners on the 27th day of January, 1864;”

Which was read the first time.

The hour having arrived for taking up the Order of Day;

On motion of Mr. Trail,