

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Boswell, from the committee on Corporations, reported favorably the Senate bill entitled, "An Act for the incorporation of Daniel and Jacob Lodge number twenty-three of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows ;"

Which was read the second time.

Also, favorably the Senate bill entitled, "An Act supplementary to an Act entitled, an Act to incorporate the Superannuated Fund Society of the Maryland Annual Conference, passed at December session eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, chapter two hundred and eighty-five ;"

Which was read the second time.

Also, favorably the Senate bill entitled, "An Act to incorporate the Smith's Patent Fire-Arms Company ;"

Which was read the second time.

Also, favorably a bill entitled, "An Act to incorporate the Washington County Railroad Company ;"

Which was read the first time.

Also, favorably the Senate bill entitled, "An Act to repeal the twelfth section of an Act to incorporate the Kent County Railroad Company, passed on the 8th of March, 1856, chapter 148, to add four new sections thereto, and to appoint four new Commissioners in the place of four deceased Commissioners ;"

Which was read the second time.

Mr. Stockbridge, from the committee of conference on the Convention bill, submitted the following

REPORT:

The Committee of Conference of the two Houses of the General Assembly, on the difference of opinion on the amendments to the bill entitled, "An Act to provide for taking the sense of the people, upon the call of a Convention, &c.," beg leave to report the following as agreed upon by said committee of conference: The House will recede from its first proposed amendment, striking out all after the word "Convention" in line 31, to the word "provided" in line 61; and agree to insert after the word "provided" in line 55 of said 1st section, the words following: "however that at least sixty-five members shall be elected according to the provisions of this act, before said Convention shall organize, and proceed to business, provided further, that fifty members at least shall be necessary to constitute a quorum after organization;" to