

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

On motion of Mr. Watkins,

Leave was granted to the Montgomery county delegation to introduce a bill to enable the Nealsville and Darnestown Presbyterian Church, to hold certain lands and funds donated to the church.

Mr. Meekins submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the Comptroller of the Treasury be and is hereby requested to inform this House the amount paid for publishing the laws passed at the session of 1868, in the several newspapers of the State.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McLane,

Leave was granted to Messrs. McLane, Kirk, Hamilton, Turner and Shipley, to introduce a bill to repeal section nine hundred and fifty-nine, Article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Parks."

Mr. Hardcastle, of Talbot, submitted the following order :

Ordered, That a Special Committee on Retrenchment of County Expenses, to consist of seven members, be appointed by the Speaker, with leave to report by bill or otherwise, for the purpose of examining into county expenditures, with the view of reducing and making the same more uniform throughout the State.

Which was adopted, and Messrs. Hardcastle, of Talbot, Brown, Gatch, Dennis, Watkins, Hopkins and Bowlus, constituted said Committee.

Mr. Duke submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the Librarian be ordered to furnish the desks of the members of this House with official paper and envelopes.

Which was read.

The question being upon the adoption of the order,

On motion of Mr. Baldwin, of Anne Arundel, the yeas and nays were ordered, and appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.	Marbury,	Blake,
Martin,	Duvall,	Webb,
Kilbourn,	Dennis,	Wilson, of B. city,
Owings,	McCreery,	Wiley,