

minutes each to speak on the question before the vote is taken on the districts.

Which was rejected.

On motion of Mr. Vandiver,

At 9.30 o'clock, the further consideration of the Report was postponed until 10 o'clock, this P. M.

Mr. Robinson, Chairman of a Select Committee, reported favorably with proposed amendment,

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal chapter 501, of the Laws of Maryland of 1874, entitled an Act to provide for maintaining and keeping in repair the public roads in Anne Arundel county, and to repeal the Act passed at January Session, 1870, chapter 192, and to re-enact said chapter 192, of the laws of 1870.

#### AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Amend Section 11, by striking out all after "shall," in 1st line, to the word "purposely," in 4th line.

Which was adopted, and the bill as amended, read a second time.

The bill entitled an Act to repeal Section 105, of chapter 9, passed at the January Session, 1874, entitled an Act to repeal Sections 105 and 106, of Article 26, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Corporations," sub-title "Insurance Companies," and to re-enact the same with amendments and to amend and re-enact the said Section 105,

Was read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The bill entitled an Act to declare the Monday immediately preceding Tuesday, the 4th day of July, 1876, a legal holiday,

Being upon a second reading,

Mr. Hess submitted the following amendment:

#### AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

"That notes and obligations due on Tuesday, the 4th day of July, 1876, shall be lawful to be paid on Wednesday, immediately succeeding."

The proposed amendment was adopted,

And the bill as amended, read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The hour of ten o'clock having arrived,

The House renewed the consideration of the Report of the Committee on Elections.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the Report, Mr. Scott demanded the yeas and nays,