

*Resolved, 2d.* That we congratulate our honored and distinguished guests, and also his Majesty, the Emperor of Russia, upon the prospects of a speedy termination of hostilities in the United States; and that we reiterate our belief and firm trust in Divine Providence, and the justice of our cause, that we shall soon be peacefully and permanently reunited, our Union restored, and our country once more looming up in vast and magnificent proportions among the greatest free nations of the earth.

Mr. Crane, from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, "An Act to continue in force the Act to incorporate the Queen Anne's and Kent counties railroad company ;"

Which was read the first time.

The bill entitled, "An Act to enable qualified voters of this State in the military service of this State, or of the United States, to exercise the right of suffrage ;"

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

The bill entitled, "An Act to incorporate the Union Club of Baltimore ;"

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

The bill entitled, "An Act to incorporate the Union Club Building Association ;"

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

The resolutions "for the appointment of a committee to extend to the Russian Naval officers the privileges of the two Houses of the General Assembly ;"

Were read the third time and passed.

Said resolutions were then returned to the House of Delegates.

The President appointed Messrs. Ricard, Stirling and Eichelberger as the committee.

On motion of Mr. Eichelberger,

Ordered, That Thomas M. Wolfe be appointed an additional Committee Clerk.

The bill entitled, "An Act amending the Act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the town of Boonsborough, in Washington county, to Swearingen's Ferry on the Potomac river ;