

on the same. The said resolution, was then read a second time.

The bill to incorporate the Baltimore and Susquehanna rail road company; was read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The bill to authorise Thomas J. Mann to convey certain lands to Daniel Webb and Mary his wife, was read a third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

Mr. Whiteley from the committee, made an unfavorable report upon the bill to regulate the accounts for the county charge of Dorchester county. The said bill was then read a third time, rejected and returned to the house of delegates.

The engrossed bill to incorporate the Baltimore and Susquehanna rail road company; was read a third time by special order, passed and sent to the house of delegate.

The bill respecting naturalization, was read a third time, passed and sent to the house of delegates.

The resolutions relating to internal improvement and to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, were read a third time by special order.

Mr. Lloyd moved that the question should be taken on the resolutions, separately, and the question was accordingly taken on the first resolution in these words, viz: "Resolved by the general assembly of Maryland that we do consider the Congress of the United States as possessing full powers to subscribe to such objects of internal improvement as they may deem important to the prosperity and welfare of any portion of the community," and determined in the affirmative.

On the reading of the second resolution in these words, viz: "Resolved, that our members in Congress be requested and our senators instructed, to use their best exertions to procure a subscription by Congress of at least ten thousand shares in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal"—Mr. Lloyd moved to amend the said resolution by striking out that part of it which contains an *instruction* to the senators of the U. States from Maryland, when on motion of Mr. Heath, the resolution with the amendment was ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a resolution in favor of Thomas Wimber of Worcester county, which was read the first time and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.