The resolution relative to the survey of the route of a canal, &c.

Also, the resolutions relative to the removal of obstructions, in Chester river, in Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

Also, the resolution relative to the survey of the route of a canal from the town of Piscataway, to such point on Piscataway creek, as may be designated by R. C. Edelen and others;

And also, the resolution authorising the Governor to employ the engineer appointed on the part of the state, to cooperate with engineers appointed by the states of Virginia and Delaware, to undertake a survey of the coast from Cape Charles, to Lewis town creek, on the bay of Delaware, &c.

Severally endorsed, "assented to," ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Palmer from the committee on Lotteries delivered the following report:

The committee on Lotteries, to whom was referred the petition of citizens of Annapolis, for authority to raise by lottery a sum of money for the purpose of constructing a Rail Road, from Annapolis, to intersect with the Baltimore and Washington Rail Road, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report—

That the amount required for the object contemplated by the petitioners would require some hundred thousand dollars, to raise which by means of a lottery would probably consume several years to accomplish. This consideration alone, apart from the immoral tendency of lotteries which is daily growing more manifest, induces your committee respectfully to say, the prayer of the petitioners ought not to be granted, and recommend that they have leave to withdraw their petition.

All which is respectfully submitted.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, and concurred in.

Mr. Price from the select committee delivered the following report:

The select committee, to whom was referred the petition of sundry citizens of the first election district of Baltimore county, praying that the place of holding elections in the said district may be changed, and the memorial of others of the same district counter thereto, have considered the same and beg leave to report, that they do not deem it expedient to legislate on the subject, and that the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petitions.