616; reported back, 621; read third time and passed, 634; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 773; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 790.

#### FRANKFORD-

An act to incorporate the town of—presented for concurrence, 336; read, 345; read second time and referred, 355; reported back, 391; taken up for consideration, 377; read third time and passed, 398; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, —; returned signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 695.

#### FREE SCHOOLS-

An act for the benefit of the—in the State of Delaware—notice of intention to introduce given, 72; introduced and read, 88; read second time and referred, 99; reported back, 857; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 897.

## FOWLER, SADIE-

An act for the relief of—reported by committee, 376; read second time, 394; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 407; returned concurred in, 562; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 622; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 663.

# FOUGERAY, RENE J .-

An act to divorce—and his wife, Sarah F., from the bonds of matrimony—reported by committee, 789; read first and second time under suspension of rules, 806; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 816; read third time and passed, 826.

# FRIENDLESS AND DESTITUTE CHILDREN-

An act to re-enact the act entitled An act to incorporate the Trustees of the Home for—in the city of Wilmington—presented for concurrence, 97; read, 101; read second time and referred, 118; reported back, 157; read third time, passed and ordered returned, 168; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 257; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 274.

FUGITIVES FROM JUSTICE—

An act in relation to requisitions for—reported by committee, 236; read and laid on the table, 243; read second time, 261; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 271; concurred in by the Senate with amendment, 452; amendment read and concurred in, 466; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 693; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 708.

#### GAME—

An act relating to—notice of intention to introduce given, 598; introduced and read, 657; read second time and referred—; reported back, 913; read third time and passed, 914; returned concurred in, 916; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 919; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 920.

#### Game—

An act for the protection of—notice of intention to introduce given, 293; introduced and read,—; read second time and referred, 394; reported back, read third time and passed, 433; returned concurred in by the Senate with amendment, 600; amendment read and concurred in, 613; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 765; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 802.

## GAZETTE PUBLISHING COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice given, 139; introduced and read, 155; read second time and referred, 160; reported back, 187; read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate, 190; returned concurred in, 234; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 304; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 349.

#### GENERAL ASSEMBLY-

An act to increase the number of members of the—and to apportion the same—notice of intention to introduce given, 121; introduced and read, 147; read second time and referred, 154; reported progress, 450; reported substitute, 543.

GENERAL PROVISIONS RESPECTING PUBLIC OFFICERS—An act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 24 of the Revised Statutes, entitled—presented for concurrence, 66; read,

67; read second time and referred, 72; reported back, read third time and passed, 76-77; returned to the Senate, notice of, 77; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 150; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, —.

## GENERAL PROVISIONS CONCERNING CRIMES AND PUN-ISHMENTS—

An act to amend Section 16, Chapter 133, of the Revised Code, entitled—presented for concurrence, 61; read second time and referred, 73; reported back, taken up for consideration and recommitted, 112; reported from committee, 128; read third time, passed and ordered returned to the Senate, 129; presented, enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 150; presented for the signature of the Speaker, notice of, 158.

Gibbons, Seth O.,—

An act to divorce—from his wife, Lydia Gibbons, from the bonds of matrimony—presented for concurrence, 642; read, 666; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule, 668; reported back, 702; read third time and passed, 722; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 774; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 834.

GIBBONS, LOUISA—

An act to divorce—from the bonds of matrimony with Wm. G. Gibbons—presented for concurrence, 434; read, 435; read second time and referred, 439; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed under suspension of rules, 446; enrolled and presented signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 454; presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 455.

## GIBBS, ANNIE-

An act to render null and void the bonds of matrimony between—and Thomas Gibbs—presented for concurrence, 482; read, 501; read second time under suspension of rules, 511; reported back, 517; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 526; read third time and passed, 529; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the

Senate, 631; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 640.

GILBERT, EMMA—

An act to annul the bonds of matrimony between George H. Gilbert and—his wife—reported by committee, 620; read, 635; read second time, 644; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 682.

GRAVE. LYDIA ANN-

An act for the relief of certain heirs of the late—deceased—notice of intention to introduce given, 585; introduced and read, 681; read second time and referred, 695; reported back, 723; read third time and passed, 732.

GRAVELLY RUN MARSH COMPANY--

A further supplement to the act, entitled, an act to incorporate the—passed at Dover, February 5th, 1866, and amended and re-enacted by the act, entitled, an act to amend and re-enact the act, entitled, an act to incorporate the—passed at Dover, February 5, 1866. Passed at Dover, January 24, 1867—notice of intention to inaroduce given, 400; introduced and read, 432; read second time and referred, 440; reported back with amendment, 644; amendment adopted and bill read third time and passed, 655; concurred in, 704; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 777; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 802.

GUARDIAN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 269; introduced and read, 275; read second time and referred, 294; reported back, 304; read third time and passed, 310; returned concurred in, 336; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 377; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 438.

## GUMBORO PUBLIC SCHOOL-

An act to consolidate school districts numbers 37, 146 and 147, in Sussex county, under the title of—presented for concurrence, 758; read, 778; rule suspended and bill read second time and referred, 779; reported back with amendment, 790, amendment read and adopted and bill

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read third time and passed, 797; amendment concurred in, 808 presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 861; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 876.

#### GUM BRANCH DITCH COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 564; introduced and read, 643; read second time and referred, 661; reported back, 693; read a third time and passed, 699; concurred in, 778; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 854; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 894.

## HARRINGTON LIBRARY ASSOCIATION—

An act to incorporate the—of Harrington, Del,—notice of intention to introduce given, 106: introduced and read, 159; read second time and referred, 189; reported back, 198; read a third time, passed and ordered to the Senate for concurrence, 201; returned concurred in, 234; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 304; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350.

## HARRINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS-

An act in relation to the—notice of intention to introduce given, 199; introduced and read, 263; read second time and referred, 272; reported back, 305; taken up for consideration, 311; read third time and passed, 312; returned concurred in—notice of 405; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 451; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

#### HARRINGTON-

A further supplement to an act, entitled an act to incorporate the town of—passed at Dover, March 23, 1879—notice of intention to introduce given, 222; introduced and read, 264; read second time and referred, 277; reported back with an amendment, 421; amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 428; returned concurred in, 476.

HASTINGS, JACKSON E.—

An act to divorce—and Justina, his wife, from the bonds of matrimony—presented for concurrence, 671; read, 673;

read second time and referred under suspension of Rule, 679; reported back, 744; read third time and passed, 751; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 809; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 875.

#### HARBOR OF WILMINGTON-

An act for the protection of the—and the improvements of the navigation thereof—presented for concurrence, 843; read, 849; rule suspended and bill read second time and referred, 851; reported back, 855; read third time and passed, 858; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 896; returned signed by the Speaker of the House.

## HARAGARI, GERMAN ORDER OF--

An act to incorporate the Delaware Lodge, No. 349, of the—of Wilmington, presented for concurrence, 337; read, 346; read second time and referred, 355; reported back with amendment, 375; amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 386; Senate concurred in amendment—notice of, 415; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 630; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 640.

#### HEALTH-

An act to establish a State Board of—presented for concurrence, 159; read, 188; reported back, 236; read third time and passed, 243; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 402; returned signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 420.

### HEALTH OF THE PEOPLE—

An act to better protect—notice of intention to introduce, 199; introduced and read, 264; read second time and referred, 270.

## HERCULES POWDER COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 289; introduced and read, 292; read second time and referred, 307; reported back, 338; read third time and passed, 362; concurred in—notice of, 405; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 450.

HICKORY GROVE CEMETERY COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice given, 153; introduced and read, 159; read second time and referred, 189; reported back, 199; read third time and passed, 202; returned from Senate with amendment, 234; amendment taken up for consideration—concurred in and Senate informed—notice of, 242; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 304; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350.

HORSEY, ANDREW J.—

An act to authorize—to construct and build a tumbling dam at his mills in Little Creek Hundred—presented for concurrence, 298; read, 314; read second time and referred, 318; reported back, 322; read third time and passed, 328; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 604; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 623.

HOUSTON, JOHN W. & DAVID M .-

An act to authorize—to change the course of a public road through their lands in Broadkiln Hundred, Sussex County—notice of intention to introduce given, 497; introduced and read, 501; read second time and referred, 513; reported back, 517; read third time and passed, 526; concurred in, 629; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 694; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 707.

# HUNDREDS-

An act in relation to dividing the several—of this State into election districts—notice given of intention to introduce. 562.

HURLOCK, WALTER G.—

An act to divorce—from his wife, Jemima Hurlock—reported by committee, 462; read, 469; read second time under suspension of Rules, 472; taken up for consideration—read third time and passed, 480; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 622; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 663.

## INCORPORATED TOWNS-

An act for the relief of—notice of intention to introduce given, 323; introduced and read, 345; read second time and referred, 352; reported back, 375; read third time and lost, 385.

#### INDIGENT INSANE-

An act to repeal Chapter 57, Volume 14, Laws of Delaware, entitled An act to provide for the—and the several amendments thereto—notice of intention to introduce given, 421; introduced and read, 451; read second time and referred, 470; reported back with an amendment, 530; taken up for consideration, amendments read and adopted, House went into a Committee of the Whole, reported the bill back adversely and bill was recommitted, 535; reported back, 558; postponed, 566; taken up for consideration, substitute offered and adopted, read third time and passed, 569; returned concurred in, 656; presented, enrolled for the signature of the Speaker, 694; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 707.

#### IMMIGRATION-

An act for the encouragement of-and to foster the agricultural interests of the State—presented for concurrence, 191; read, 200; read second time and referred to the special committee on Immigration, 210; reported back, 226; taken up for consideration, House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, reported progress and made a special order, 235; taken up for consideration, House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, reported bill back with various amendments, amendments severally adopted. 150 copies ordered printed as amended and bill laid on the table, 247-248 taken up for consideration, amendments offered and adopted, read third time and passed, ordered to Senate for concurrence in the amendments, 298-300; returned with amendments non-concurred in by the Senate, 326; House insists upon its amendments, and Committee of Conference asked for, 340; Senate agrees to the request for Committee of Conference, notice of, 345, 346; report of Conference Committee, 515, 516; report taken up for consideration, House adhered to its amendments, 573; vote by which House adhered to its amendments reconsid-

ered, 599; bill returned to the House, 604; question being taken on the motion to adhere was lost, and another Conference Committee asked for and appointed, 605; Senate accedes to request, 624; Senate concurred in House amendments, notice of, 774; report of committee submitted, 790; read and agreed to, 794; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 841; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 876.

#### INFANTS-

An act in relation to—notice of intention to introduce given, 563; introduced and read, 682; read second time, title amended and referred, 696.

## INSANE PRISONERS-

An act in relation to—presented for concurrence and read, 768; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 768; reported back, taken up for consideration; Section 1, read and adopted; vote reconsidered and bill laid on the table, 786; called—amendments offered and adopted, read third time and passed, 787; amendment concurred in, notice of, 803; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 842; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 876.

An act to amend an act in relation to—passed at Dover; April 12, 1883, presented for concurrence, 843; read, 849; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 851; reported back, 853; taken up for consideration amended, read third time and passed, 864; amendment concurred in, notice of, 874; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 900; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

#### INSANE PERSONS---

An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 397, Volume 11, Laws of Delaware, entitled an act in relation to—presented for concurrence, 65; read, 66; read second time and referred, 73; reported back, read third time, passed and ordered returned to the Senate, 103; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 150; presented for the signature of the Speaker—notice of, 158.

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#### INSURANCE COMPANIES—

An act in relation to—notice of intention to introduce given, 565.

### INTERNATIONAL LUMBER COMPANY—

An act to incorporate—notice of intention to introduce given, 306; introduced and read, 325; read second time and referred, 338; reported back, 357; read third time and passed, 374; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 559; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

INTEMPERANCE, (FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF)—

An act to amend the act passed at Dover, April 5, 1881—notice of intention to introduce given, 313; introduced and read, 345; read second time and referred, 379; reported back, read third time and passed, 412; returned concurred in, 452.

#### INTEMPERANCE—

An additional supplement to the act, entitled an act for the suppression of—notice of intention to introduce given, 454 introduced and read, 465; read second time and referred 474; reported back, 478; read third time and passed, 487 returned concurred in with amendment, 561; amendment read and adopted, 574; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker, 622 returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 663.

#### INTEMPERANCE—

An act to amend an act, entitled, an act for the suppression of—passed at Dover, April 5, 1881—presented for concurrence, 285; read, 289; read second time and referred, 301; reported back with amendment, 357; taken up for consideration, amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 366; amendment concurred in by the Senate, notice of, 385; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 529; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 531.

#### Interest—

Chapter 63, an act to amend, respecting—presented for concurrence, 464; read, 470; read second time and referred

suspension of rules, 471; reported back, 558; taken under up for consideration, read third time and lost, 566.

INTOXICATING LIQUORS—

An act regulating the sale of-presented for concurrence, 601; read, 606; read second time and referred, 615; reported back, 637; read third time and passed, 651; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 773; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 835.

JACKSON LIME AND MARBLE COMPANY—

An act to amend an act incorporating the—presented for concurrence and read, 145; read second time and referred, 149; reported back, 157; read third time, passed and ordered returned, 167; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 291; returned signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 305.

# Jackson and Sharp Company Beneficial Association—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 398; introduced and read, 404; read second time and referred, 415; reported back, 419; taken up for consideration—read third time and passed, 426; returned concurred in, 464; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 538; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 546.

JOHNSON FORGE COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 159; read, 189; read second time and referred, 229; reported back, 239; read third time and passed, 245; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350; presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 377.

JONES, ROBERT H.—

An act for the relief of—presented for concurrence, 252; read, 263; read second time and referred, 266; reported back, 873; read third time and passed, 879; presented en-

rolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 903; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

JOURNEYMEN BRICKLAYERS' PROTECTION ASSOCIATION OF WILMINGTON, DEL.—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 68; introduced and read, 97; read second time and referred, 107; reported, read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate for concurrence, 116-117; returned concurred in, 151; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 158; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 238.

JUDGMENTS-

Chapter 110 of the Revised Code, entitled of—an act to amend, reported as a substitute, 778; rule suspended and read a second time, and referred, 780; reported back, 831; taken up for consideration and lost, 837.

JUDGMENTS--

An act relating to—notice of intention to introduce given, 195.

JUDGMENTS-

An act in relation to—notice of intention to introduce given, 577.

JUDGMENTS-LEINS--

An act to require satisfaction of—when paid—notice given, 563.

JUDGMENTS SHALL BE A LEIN ON REAL ESTATE-

An act limiting the time during which—notice given, 195; introduced and read, —; 150 copies ordered printed, 223; read second time and referred, 228.

JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS-

An act to expedite—notice of intention to introduce given, 563.

JUDICIARY-

An act in relation to—notice of intention to introduce given, 580.

JUDICIARY-

An act to regulate the submission of questions of law to the —notice of intention to introduce given, 107; introduced and read, 147; read second time and referred, 154; reported back, 391; read third time and passed, 39.

JURIES--

an act in relation to—notice given, 564.

JURIES--

An act to amend Section 11, of Chapter 109, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Delaware, entitled—presented for concurrence, 105; read, 109; read second time and referred, 114; reported from committee—taken up for consideration—House resolved itself into a committee of the whole—reported bill back with amendment—amendment adopted, 130; read third time, passed and ordered to Senate for concurrence in the amendment, 132; Senate concurred in amendment, 145; enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, notice of, 203; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 274.

JURORS IN CAPITAL CASES—

An act in reference to the competency of—presented for concurrence, 105; read, 109; read second time and referred, 114; reported back, read third time, passed and ordered to be returned to the Senate, 136; enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 203; presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 205.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE—

An act relating to—notice of intention to introduce given, 578.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AND NOTARY PUBLIC FOR SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to amend an act, entitled an act to enable the Governor to appoint an additional—to reside in Indian River Hundred, passed March 13, 1871—presented for concurrence, 705; read, 725; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule, 727; reported back, 743; taken up for consideration and recommitted 746-747; reported

back with an amendment, 764; amendment read and adopted, bill as amended read third time and passed, 766; amendment concurred in, 791; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 841; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 876.

**JUVENILE DELINQUENTS**—

An act for the education and training of—reported by Committee, 357; read, 367; read second time and referred, 380; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 399; returned concurred in, 476; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 590.

JOHNSON, MARY E.---

An act to divorce — from her husband, James Johnson, from the bonds of matrimony, reported by committee, 463; read, 470; read second time under suspension of Rule 12, 473; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 486; concurred in, 611; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 639; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 676.

KENT COUNTY IMPROVEMENT COMPANY—
An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 596.

### KENTON-

An act to incorporate the town of—notice of intention to introduce given, 585.

KIRK BRANCH DITCH COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 318; introduced and read, 477; read second time and referred, 485; reported back, 644; read third time and passed, 657; concurred in, 704; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 777; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 802.

KENT COUNTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY—
An act to re-enact the act of incorporation of the—93; introduced and read, 109; read a second time and referred,

112; reported back, read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate for concurrence, 135, 136; returned concurred in, 159; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker, notice of, 249; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 268.

#### LANDLORD AND TENANT-

An act to amend Chapter 120, entitled of—notice of intention to introduce given, 578; introduced and read, 760; read second time and referred, 780; report d back, 832; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 837; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 883.

#### LAUREL-

An act to incorporate the town of—presented for concurrence, 705; read, 724; read second time under suspension of rule and referred, 727; reported back, 793; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 816; taken up, read third time and passed, 822; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 897; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

# LAUREL GRANGE CO-OPERATIVE STORE COMPANY—

An act entitled An act to amend the—presented for concurrence, 252; read, 261; read second time and referred, 277; reported back, 304; read third time and passed, 311; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 631; returned to Senate signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 639.

#### LEWES-

An act to supplement and amend Chapter 114, Volume 14, of the Laws of Delaware, entitled an act to incorporate the town of—and for other purposes—as amended by Chapter 535 and republished in Chapter 536 of the same volume—presented for concurrence, 410; read,411; read second time and referred, 422; reported back with amendment, 498; taken up for consideration—amendment adopted—bill as amended read third time and passed, 506; Senate concurred in amendment—notice of, 523; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 630; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 640.

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#### Lewes-

An act to further supplement and amend the act incorporating the town of—presented for concurrence, 889; read, 890; reported back with amendment—amendment read and adopted and bill as amended read third time and passed, 893; Senate concurred in House amendment—notice of, 900; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 906; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 911.

#### LEVY COURT—

An act in relation to the powers of—notice of intention to introduce given, 159; introduced and read, 188; read second time and referred, 205; reported back, 249; read third time and passed, 255.

#### LEVY COURT OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY—

An act authorizing the—to make a loan for the benefit of the Trustees of the Poor of—presented for concurrence, 546; read, 550; read second time and referred under suspension of Rules, 557; reported back, 659; read third time and passed, 677; enrolled, presented and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 703; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 803.

# LEVY COURT OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY—

An act to authorize the—to build a 'bridge' over Brandywine Creek, at Washington street, in the City of Wilmington—notice of intention to introduce given, 597; introduced and read, 729; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 742; reported back, 755; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 759.

LEYY COURTS OF NEW CASTLE AND KENT COUNTIES—An act to enable the—to change the site of the bridge over Duck Creek, at Smyrna Landing—notice of intention to introduce given, 454; introduced and read, 465; read second time and referred, 474; reported back, 478; recommitted, 486; reported back, 544; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 550.

# LEVY COURTS OF THE SEVERAL COUNTIES-

An act to direct the—to publish detailed statements of all expenditures of county funds and circulate the same in

pamphlet form—notice of intention to introduce given, 584; introduced and read, 657; rule suspended and read second time and referred, and ordered printed, 658; reported back, 700; read third time and passed, 705; returned concurred in, with an amendment, 786; amendment read and adopted, 794; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 854; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

## LEVY COURT OF SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act authorizing the -to appropriate annually money for the keeping in repair a certain road in Cedar Creek Hundred—reported by committee, 435; read, 442; read second time, 453; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 466; returned concurred in, 583; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 622; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 663.

#### LIBRARY---

An act to establish a State—presented for concurrence, 648; read, 674; read second time under suspension of Rule, 674; reported back with amendment, taken up for consideration, amendment read and adopted, bill, as amended, read third time and passed, 675; amendment concurred in by the Senate—notice of, 677; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 687; returned signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 688.

## LIENS-

An act concerning—notice of intention to introduce given, 564.

## LOCAL OPTION-

An act to enable the qualified voters of this State to determine by ballot, whether spirituous, fermented, or intoxicating liquors, or alcoholic bitters, shall be sold in this State—presented for concurrence, 671; read, 674; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule, 680; reported back, taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 844.

## LOCAL OPTION—

An act to ascertain the sentiments of the voters of the State 140

of Delaware on the question of a—law for the suppression of the traffic in intoxicating liquors as a beverage—notice of intention to introduce given, 539; introduced and read, 545; read second time and referred, 556.

#### MADISON STREET CLUB STABLES—

An act to incorporate the—of Wilmington, Del.—notice of intention to introduce given, 71; introduced and read, 97; read second time by title and referred, 107; reported from committee—read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate, 115-116; returned concurred in, 151 reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 158; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 238.

#### MANUFACTURING INTERESTS—

An act for the further development of the—notice of intention to introduce given, 577.

## MANUFACTURERS AND OWNERS OF RAILROAD EQUIP-MENTS—

An act to secure the—to make conditional sales and certain contracts for the lease thereof—notice of intention to introduce given, 111; introduced and read, 128; read second time and referred, 141; reported back, 156; read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate, 162; returned concurred in, 252; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 304: returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350.

# MAP OF DELAWARE-

An act to provide for making and publishing a—notice of intention to introduce given, 597.

#### MARRIAGE-

An act in relation to—notice given, 563; introduced and read, 863; rule suspended and bill read second time, and referred, 864; reported back, 874; taken up for consideration, amendment offered and adopted, and bill as amended indefinitely postponed, 880; motion to reconsider laid on the table, 881.

# MARRIED WOMEN-

An act concerning—notice of intention to introduce given, 564.

MARSHALL, JOHN D. AND OTHERS-

An act for the relief of—notice of intention to introduce given, 293; introduced and read, 306 read; second time and referred, 319; reported back, 334; read third time and passed, 343.

#### MARYDEL-

An act to incorporate the town of—notice of intention to introduce given, 555.

McKay, William-

An act to enable—to convey certain real estate, notice of intention to introduce, 49; introduced and read, read second time under suspension of Rule 12, and referred, 68: reported from committee, read a third time and passed, yeas and nays on, 89-90; vote reconsidered, yeas and nays on, 90; taken up for consideration, and passed, 90; returned concurred in, 105; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 158; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 238.

## MEDICINE AND SURGERY—

An act regulating the practice of—notice of intention to introduce given, 555; introduced and read, 598; read second time and referred, 615; reported back, 670; read third time and passed, 687; returned concurred in, 792; returned to the Senate as per request, 807; reported concurred in with an amendment, 874; amendment read and concurred in, 879; reported, enrolled, 896; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 905.

## MIDDLEBURGH MARSH-

An additional supplement to an act, entitled an act to enable the owners and possessors of the marsh meadows, on the north side of Christiana River, called—to keep the banks dams, and sluices in repair, and raise a fund to defray the expenses thereof, passed in the year 1769—presented for concurrence, 252; read second time and referred, 261; read second time and referred, 265; reported back, 276; taken up for consideration, 280; read third time and passed, 281; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 371; presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 377.

## BILLS—

## MIDDLETOWN-

A supplement to an act, entitled an act to incorporate the town of—passed February 12, 1861—notice of intention to introduce given, 500; introduced and read, 532; read second time and referred, 548; reported back without recommendation, 620; read third time and passed, 632; concurred in, 664; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 694; returned from the Senate and signed by the Speaker, 707.

#### MIDDLETOWN-

An act to amend the act of incorporation of the town ofnotice of intention to introduce given, 351; introduced and read, 413; read second time and referred, 414; reported back, taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 447; returned concurred in, 492; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 602.

#### MILFORD-

An act to amend an act entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to incorporate the town of—passed at Dover, March 29, 1871—notice of intention to introduce given, 345; introduced and read, 483; read second time and referred, 502; reported back, 547; read third time and passed, 550; concurred in, 611; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 622; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 676.

#### MILFORD-

An act to amend an act entitled, an act to incorporate the town of—passed at Dover, March 29, 1871—notice of intention to introduce given, 345; introduced and read, 414; read second time and referred, 422; reported back, 498; read third time and passed, 504; concurred in, 546; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 639; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 663.

# MILFORD LIBRARY ASSOCIATION—

An act to incorporate the notice of intention to introduce given, 540; introduced and read, 545; read second time

and referred under suspension of rules, 556; reported back, 620; taken up for consideration and recommitted, 632; reported back, 644; read third time and passed, 655; concurred in, with an amendment, 704; amendment read and concurred in, 739; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker, 765; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 801.

## MILLS AND COMBS COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 594.

## MILLSBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS—

An act to amend the act entitled An act to consolidate school districts Nos. 23 and 161, in Sussex County, under the title of the—presented for concurrence and read, 779; rule suspended and bill read second time and referred, 780; reported back, 790; read third time and passed, 797; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 841; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 876.

## MILLSBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS--

An act to consolidate school districts Nos. 23 and 61, in Sussex County, under the title of the—presented for concurrence, 421; read, 442; read second time and referred, 453; reported back, 463; read third time and passed, 467; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 547; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 640.

# MILTON LIBRARY ASSOCIATION-

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 315; introduced and read, 325; read second time and referred, 339; reported back with amendment, 357; amendment adopted; bill read third time and passed, 380; returned concurred in, 452; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 499; presented signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 532.

# MISPILLION CONCLAVE, NO 33, I. O. H.—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 401; introduced and read, 538; read second time

and referred, 549; reported back with an amendment, 559; amendment read and adopted, bill as amended read third time and passed, 568; concurred in, 611; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 639; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 676.

#### MISPILLION HUNDRED-

An act to divide—notice of intention to introduce given, 530

MOHLEN, JULIA

An act to divorce—and her husband, Charles F. Mohlen, from the bonds of matrimony—presented for concurrence, 492; read, 494; read second time and referred, 519; reported back, 531; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 535; presented; enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 631; returned to Senate signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 639.

MOIR, JOHN, AND SON COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 369; read, 390; read second time and referred, 393; reported back, 418; read third time and passed, 425; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 547; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 640.

MONTGOMERY, HOWARD E.—

An act to change the name of—to the name of Howard E. Cannon, and to make him, by adoption, a son and heir-at-law of George E. Cannon—presented for concurrence, 499; read, 510; read second time under suspension of rules, 512; reported back, 582; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 591; taken up again and laid on the table, 635; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 688; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 774; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 834.

## MONTIFORE MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETY—

An act to incorporate the—of Wilmington, Del.—notice of intention to introduce given, 107; introduced and read, 111; read second time and referred, 131; reported back, 156; read third time, passed, and ordered to the Senate, 163; returned concurred in, 224; enrolled and presented

for the signature of the Speaker, 249; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 266.

## Moore, Enoch Jr., Ship and Car Building Com-PANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 223; introduced and read, 269; read second time and referred, 276; reported back 304; read third time and passed, 310; returned concurred in, 336; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 376; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 438.

MORGAN, JULIA A.—

An act to divorce—from her husband, George W. Morgan—reported by committee, 620; read, 636; read second time, 645; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 683.

# MUTUAL LOAN ASSOCIATION OF TOWNSEND, DELA-WARE—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 107; introduced and read, 134; read a second time and referred, 140; reported back, 157; read a third time and passed, 163; returned concurred in, 234; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 322; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350.

# NANTICOKE BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 594; introduced and read, 643; read second time and referred, 660; reported back, 692; read third time and passed, 710; concurred in, 760; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 855; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

# NATIONAL DREDGING COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 94; read, 95; read a second time and referred, 120; reported back with amendments, 226; taken up for consideration, amendment adopted, read third time, passed and ordered to Senate for concurrence in the amendment, 223; concurred in, notice of, 237; presented, enrolled and signed

by the Speaker of the Senate, 291; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 305.

# NAVIGABLE STREAMS EMPTYING INTO THE DELAWARE BAY—

An act for the improvement of the—notice of intention to introduce given, 119.

#### NEWARK EXCHANGE BUILDING ASSOCIATION—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 269; introduced and read, 300; read second time and referred, 306; reported back, 357; read third time and passed, 372; returned concurred in, 458; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 559; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

## NEW CASTLE—

An act to further amend Chapter 152, Volume 15, Laws of Delaware, entitled an act to incorporate the City of —presented for concurrence, 465; read, 470; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule 12, 472; reported back, 498; read third time and passed, 505; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 630; returned to the Senate signed by the Speaker of the House, 639.

## NEW CASTLE—

An act to vest the title of a certain lot of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, in the city of—in trustees, for purposes therein mentioned—presented for concurrence, 105; read, 107; read second time and referred, 140; reported back, 248; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 255; amendments offered, read, adopted, bill as amended read third time and passed, 319; Senate concurred in House amendments—notice of, 336; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 459; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 561.

## NEW CASTLE COUNTY-

An act for the keeping in repair the streets of the townsnotice of intention to introduce given, 518.

# NEW CASTLE COUNTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COM-PANY—

A further supplement to an act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 200; introduced and read, 494; read second time and referred, 502; reported back, 516; read third time and passed, 525; concurred in, 610; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 639; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker of, 676.

# NEW CASTLE AND WILMINGTON NARROW GAUGE RAILWAY—

A supplement to the act entitled "an act to incorporate the"—notice given, 110; introduced and read, 131; r ad a second time and referred, 140; reported back without recommendation, 294; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 298; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 690.

# NEW CASTLE LODGE NO. 3 OF THE AMERICAN PROTESTANT ASSOCIATION—

An act to incorporate—presented for concurrence, 336; read, 346; read second time and referred, 355; reported back, 406; read third time and passed, 408; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 630; returned to Senate, signed by the Speaker of the House, 639.

# NOBLE WILLIAM--

An act for the relief of—notice of intention to introduce given, 404; reported by Committee, 702; read, 712; read second time, 726; read third time and passed, 751.

## NEW PORT-

An act to amend an act entitled, an act to incorporate the town of—notice given, 53; introduced and read, 200; read second time and referred, 229; reported back, with amendment, 659; amendment read and adopted, bill read third time and passed, 685; concurred in with amendment, 760; amendment read and concurred in, 769; reported, enrolled, 855; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

#### NEW PORT-

A supplement to the act to amend an act to incorporate the town of passed April 7th, 1883; reported as substitute and read,833; read second time and referred,850; reported back, 854; read third time and passed, 863; returned in with a substitute, 885; substitute read and concurred in, 887; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 896 returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 905.

# OFFENSES AGAINST LIVES AND PERSONS OF INDI-

An act to amend Section 2, of Chapter 127, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Delaware, entitled—notice of intention to introduce given, 293; introduced and read, 335; read second time and referred, 352; reported back—taken up for consideration—read third time and passed, 431; returned concurred in, 476; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 559; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 602.

## OFFENSES AGAINST LIVES AND PERSONS OF INDI-VIDUALS—

An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 127, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Delaware, entitled—presented for concurrence, 98; read, 100; read second time and referred, 108; reported, taken up for consideration and recommitted, 119; reported from committee, taken up for consideration and non-concurred in, 129.

## OLEOMARGERINE-

An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of—or any other kind of artificial butter—notice of intention to introduce given, 205; introduced and read, 239; read second time and referred, 253; reported back, 303; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 313; returned non-concurred in, notice of, 406.

# ORPHANS' COURT-

An act concerning the—notice of intention to introduce given, 578.

## ORIGINAL BILLS, RESOLUTIONS, &c.,—

An act concerning—notice of intention to introduce given, 600; introduced and read, 745; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 746; reported back, 877; read third time and passed, 882; returned concurred in, 894; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 907; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 913.

#### Oysters—

A further supplement to the act entitled An act in relation to—notice of intention to introduce given, 228; introduced and read, 294; read second time and referred, 307; reported back with a substitute, and read, 484; read second time, 502; taken up for consideration under suspension of rules, read third time and passed, 513; returned concurred in with an amendment, 570; amendment read and concurred in, 572; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker, notice of, 622; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 657.

## OYSTERS IN INDIAN RIVER AND REHOBOTH BAY-

An act in relation to the planting of—reported by committee, 518; read, 526; read second time and referred, 534; taken up for consideration, amendment offered, and bill and amendment laid on the table, 540; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 576; returned from Senate concurred in, 648; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 765; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 802.

# P. W. & B. R. R. Co-

An act to authorize the—to widen or improve its lines of rail-roads within this State—notice given, 146; introduced and read, 238; read second time and referred, 253; reported back with an amendment, 338; taken up for consideration, amendments adopted, read third time and passed, 343; concurred in by the Senate, 360; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 376; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 401.

# P. W. & B. R. R. Co-

An act to authorize the-to construct a certain branch railroad

and for other purposes—notice of intention to introduce given, 227; introduced and read, 239; bill delivered to parties interested, 239; read second time and referred, 252; reported back with amendment, 338; taken up for consideration, amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 341; concurred in by the Senate, 360; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 376; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 401

#### Parks-

An act to provide for public—for the use of the citizens of Wilmington and vicinity—notice of intention to introduce given, 413; introduced and 1ead, 433; read second time and referred, 439; reported back, 449; taken up for consideration, amendment offered and adopted, bill read third time and passed, 460; returned concurred in, 492; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 590.

### PARVIS, WILLIAM—

An act to divorce—from his wife, Mary Ann, from the bonds of matrimony, reported by Committees, 462; read, 469; read second time under suspension of Rules, 472, taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 479; returned concurred in, 600; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker, notice of, 622.

## PATENT MEDICINES-

An act in relation to the sale of—notice of intention to introduce given, 586.

#### PEACE AND GOOD ORDER—

An act for the preservation of—presented for concurrence, 191; read, 206; read second time and referred, 241; reported back, 357; read third time and passed, 367; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 528; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 531.

## PECKARD, EDWIN H.,--

An act to divorce—from his wife, Sarah E. Peckard—reported by Committee, 462; read, 470; read second time

under suspension of Rule 12-473; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 480; concurred in, 611; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 638; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 676.

## PENINSULA BONE FERTILIZER COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 113; read, 114; read second time and referred 134; reported back, 157; read third time and passed, and ordered returned, 168; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 257; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 274.

## PERPETUAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION—

An act to amend an act entitled An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 712; read, 726; read second time and referred under suspension of rules, 728; reported back, 744; read third time and passed, 758; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 809; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 875.

## PHILADELPHIA AND SMYRNA TRANSPORTATION COM-PANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 159; read, 189; read second time and referred, 213; reported back, 236; read third time and passed, 245; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 324; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 334.

#### PHARMACY—

An act to regulate the practice of—in this State—presented for concurrence, 533; read, 541; read second time and referred, 547; ordered printed, 644; reported back with an amendment, 810; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 822; taken up, amendment read and adopted, 827; and bill read third time and passed, 828; amendments concurred in, 840; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker, 905; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 911.

#### PHYSICIANS-

An act to amend Chapter 47, of the Revised Code, entitled of—notice of intention to introduce given, 555; intro-

duced and read, 598; read second time and referred, 614; reported back, 670; read third time and passed, 686; returned concurred in, 792; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 854; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

#### PILOTS AND PILOTAGE—

An act to amend Chapter 449, Volume 16, of the Laws of Delaware, entitled "An act regulating pilots and pilotage of and in the Bay and River Delaware"—presented for concurrence, 258; read and ordered printed, 262; read second time and referred, 269; reported back, 303; read third time and passed, 309; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350; presented for the signature of the Speaker, 377.

### PIONEER COACH COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 203; read, 262; read second time and referred, 266; reported with amendment, 276; taken up for consideration—amendment adopted, 285; read third time and passed, 286; amendment concurred in by the Senate—notice of, 298; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 371; presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 377.

# PLEADING AND PRACTICE IN CIVIL ACTIONS— An act concerning—notice given, 563; introduced and read, and title amended, 778.

# PLEADING AND PRACTICE IN CIVIL ACTIONS-

An act to amend Chapter 106 of the Revised Statutes concerning—notice of intention to introduce given, 361; introduced and read, 390; read second time and referred, 394; reported back, read third time and passed, 414; returned concurred in,—; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

# PNEUMATIC TUBE ELECTRIC TRANSPORTATION AND AERIAL RAILWAY COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 600; read, 612; read second time and referred under

suspension of rules, 618; reported back with amendment to title, 787.

## POCOMOKE RIVER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY—

An act to amend an act entitled, an act to incorporate the —passed at Dover, March 22, 1867—presented for concurrence, 809; read, 846; rule suspended and bill read second time and referred, 852; reported back, 853; read third time and passed, 862; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 900; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 919.

## POLICE OF ELECTIONS---

An act to regulate the conduct of—notice given, 577.

PORT PENN GRANGE HALL CO., P. OF H. NO. 9, OF DELAWARE--

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 546; read, 555; read second time under suspension of rules, 556; reported back, 559; read third time and passed, 567; enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, notice of, 703; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 835.

PRICE, JAMES, DECEASED-

An act to amend the act entitled, an act tor the relief of—presented for concurrence, 465; read, 470; read second time under suspension of rules, 472; reported back, 479; read third time and passed, 487; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 547; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 640.

# PRIMARY ELECTIONS IN NEW CASTLE COUNTY-

An act to regulate and prevent fraudulent voting therein—notice of intention to introduce given, 594; introduced and read, 826; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 829; reported back, 843; taken up for consideration, amended, read third time and passed, 846.

## PRIVATE ACTS-

An act to revive and extend the time for recording—notice of intention to introduce given, 300; introduced and read, 306; read second time and referred, 326; reported back,

333; read third time and passed, 362; returned concurred in, notice of, 405; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 450; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

#### PRIVATE CORPORATIONS-

An act concerning—notice given; introduced and read; read second time and referred; reported back with title as an amendment; read third time and passed, 872.

#### Private Corporations—

An act relative to—notice of intention to introduce given, 483.

#### PRIVATE CORPORATIONS—

An act relative to the collection of assessments by—notice of intention to introduce given, 596.

#### PRIVATE CORPORATIONS—

An act concerning—notice of intention to introduce given, 578.

## PRIVATE CORPORATIONS---

An act concerning—notice of intention to introduce given, 148; introduced and read, 150 copies ordered printed, 264; read second time and referred, 294; reported back, 327; taken up for consideration, House went into a Committee of the Whole, reported progress and asked leave to sit again, 330-331; House again resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, reported progress and asked leave to sit again, 331-332; House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, reported bill back with various amendments, severally adopted, and motion to read bill third time was lost, 332-333; vote by which to read bill a third time was lost, reconsidered, 339; bill read third time and passed, 339-340; returned concurred in, with an amendment, 499; amendment read and adopted, 508 509; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 630; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 676.

## PRIVATE PROPERTY--

An act for the protection of—notice of intention to introduce given, 323; introduced and read, 335; read second time

and referred, 352; reported back with amendment, 375; amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 388; returned concurred in, 476; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

## PROTHONOTARY OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY—

To copy a certain judgment index—an act to authorize the—notice of intention to introduce given, 200; introduced and read, 223; read second time and referred, 241; reported back with amendment, 474; taken up for consideration, amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 475; returned concurred in, 562; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 622; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 663.

## PROTHONOTARY OF SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act authorizing the—to make a certain index; notice of intention to introduce given, 585; introduced and read, 624; read second time and referred, 646; reported back, 659; taken up for consideration, section 1 & 2, read and adopted; vote by which section adopted reconsidered, and bill laid on the table, 684; recommitted 688; reported back, 764; taken up and indefinitely postponed, 766.

# PUBLIC ROAD AT NEWARK STATION-

An act providing for the erection and use of gates at the intersection of the P. W. & B. R. R., and the—in Pencader Hundred; notice of intention to introduce given, 68; introduced and read, 91.

PUSEY, J. M. COMPANY--

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 195: introduced and read, 200; read second time and referred, 211; reported back, 226; read third time and passed, 230; returned concurred in, 265; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 304; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 349.

## PUSEY AND SCOTT COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 106; read, 108; read a second time and referred, 120; reported with an amendment, 157; amendment adopted, read third 142

time, passed and ordered to Senate for concurrence in the amendment, 165; amendment concurred in by the Senate notice of, 203; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 291; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 306.

#### RAILROADS--

An act relating to—notice of intention to introduce given, 598; introduced and read, 755; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 756; reported back, taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 882.

#### RAILROADS--

An act in relation to—notice of intention to introduce given;
—introduced read and title amended, 825.

RAILROAD CROSSINGS IN BRANDYWINE HUNDRED— An act providing for the erection and use of gates at certain—notice of intention to introduce given, 67; introduced and read, 75; read a second time and referred, 89; reported back, taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 432.

#### REAL ESTATE-

An act to incorporate an Association for the purchase, improvement, and sale of—presented for concurrence, 738; read, 740; rule suspended and bill read second time and passed, 742; reported back, 745; read third time and passed, 757; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 841; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 875.

# RECORDER OF DEEDS OF SUSSEX COUNTY-

An act authorizing the—to copy a certain index—notice of intention to introduce given, 585; introduced and read, 624; read second time and referred, 645; reported back, 659; taken up for consideration and recommitted, 684 reported back, 764; taken up and indefinitely postponed, 766.

RECORDING OF DEEDS AND OTHER CONVEYANCES— An act in relation to—presented for concurrence, 856; read 865; rule suspended and read second time and referred

866 rule suspended and the bill taken up for consideration and read third time and passed, 871; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 900; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

RECORDS, STEPHEN T.—

An act to divorce—from his wife, Sarah E. Records—presented for concurrence, 671; read, 673; read second time and referred under suspension of rule, 679; reported back, 744; read third time and passed, 749; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 774; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 834.

REED, WM. D .-

An act to divorce—and Mary C. Reed, from the bonds of matrimony—reported by committee, 620; read, 636; read second time, 645; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 682; returned concurred in, 752; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 764; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 801.

# REHOBOTH BEACH ASSOCIATION-

An act to vacate a part of Lake Avenue, as laid out on a plot of lots by the—notice of intention to introduce given, 25, introduced and read, 57; read second time and referred, 72; reported back, 151; taken up for consideration and laid on table, 170; taken up for consideration, read third time, and passed, 204; returned concurred in, 234; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 249; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 268.

REHOBOTH BEACH CAMP MEETING ASSOCIATION—
An act to revoke the act, entitled an act to incorporate the—
notice of intention to introduce given, 373; introduced
and read, 378; read second time and referred, 394; reported back, 871; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 872.

REHOBOTH BEACH CAMP MEETING ASSOCIATION—
"An act to amend an act, entitled 'A supplement to an act
to incorporate the—of the Methodist Episcopal Church,
passed at Dover, January 27, 1873, and which said supple-

ment was passed at Dover, March 22nd, 1877," presented for concurrence, 508; read, 511; read second time, under suspension of Rules, 511; reported back, 516; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 524; taken up for consideration, read third time and lost, 536; vote reconsidered and bill laid on the table, 536; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 579; vote reconsidered and postponed, 598; taken up for consideration and recommitted, 648; reported back, taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 869; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 903; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

REHOBOTH BEACH HOTEL COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 25; introduced and read, 57; read second time and referred, 72; reported from the committee, read third time and passed, 96; vote by which bill passed reconsidered and bill recommitted, 101; reported back with amendment, amendment adopted, read third time and passed, 102; returned concurred in by the Senate, 132; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 158; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 238.

RENDER VALID THE ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF A CERTAIN DEED—

An act to—notice of intention to introduce, 49; introduced and read, 53; read second time and referred, 60; reported back from the committee, read a third time, passed, and ordered to the Senate, 64; concurred in by the Senate, notice of, 96; reported, enrolled signed and sent to the Senate, 104; returned signed by the Speaker, 132.

#### RENTS-

An act concerning—notice of intention to introduce given, 564; introduced and read;—rule suspended and read second time and referred;—rule again suspended and the bill was reported back with title amended, 872.

# REPANNO CHEMICAL COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the -notice of intention to introduce given, 289; introduced and read, 292; read second time

and referred, 307; reported back, 338; read third time and passed, 362; concurred in, notice of, 405; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 451; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

#### REVENUE-

An act to raise—notice of intention to introduce given, 317; introduced and read, 378; read second time, and referred, 406; taken up for consideration and recommitted, 441; reported back with an amendment, 763; taken up for consideration, and indefinitely postponed, 760.

#### REVENUE-

An act to raise for State and County purposes, passed at Dover, March 30, 1871—notice of intention to introduce given, 138; introduced and read, 317; read second time and referred, 325; reported back, 356; read third time and passed, 364 and 365; returned concurred in, 498; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 602.

# REVENUE DERIVED FROM LICENSES-

An act in relation to—in the several counties—notice of intention to introduce given, 555.

# REVENUE FOR THIS STATE—

An act to amend chapter 390 vol. 13 of the laws of Delaware, entitled an act providing—presented for concurrence 265; read, 289; read second time and referred 301; reported, back 356; read third time and passed, 365; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate 529; returned signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of 531.

# REVENUE FOR THIS STATE-

An act in relation to the—notice of intention to introduce given, 577; introduced and read, 578; rt d second time and referred under the suspension of Rule, 580; reported back 702; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 722; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed 884.

#### REVENUE FOR THIS STATE—

A supplement to the act entitled an act providing,—passed at at Dover April 8th, 1869,—as amended by Chapter 21, Vol. 14—presented for concurrence, 554; read, 555; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule, 557; reported back 621; read third time and passed, 629; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 642; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 662.

## REVISED CODE-

Chapter 34, Section 5, of the Revised Code as amended and published in 1874, an act to amend—notice given, 49; introduced and read, 60-61; read second time and referred, 76; reported back, 225; read third time and passed, 230; returned concurred in, 265; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 304; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350.

#### REVISED CODE—

Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 4 of the—entitled of the "passing and publication of the Laws and Journals"; notice of intention to introduce given, 144; introduced and read, 155; read second time and referred, 160; reported back and recommitted, 204; reported back, 225; read third time and passed, 229.

# REVISED CODE-

Chapter 18, an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 563; introduced and read, 832; read second time and title amended, 851.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 17, an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 545.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 42, an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 544.

# REVISED CODE-

Chapter 63, an act to amend—respecting interest—presented for concurrence, 464; read, 470; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule 12, 471; reported back,

558; taken up for consideration, read third time and lost, 566; motion to reconsider lost, 619.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 48, Section 2, an act to amend—presented for concurrence, 336; read, 348 read second time, and referred, 355; reported back, 356; read third time and passed, 366; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 528; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 531.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 16—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 533.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 7—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 533.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 60—an act 10 amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 434; introduced and read, 478; read second time and referred, 483; reported back, 498; read third time and passed, 503; returned concurred in with an amendment, 583; amendment read and concurred in, 614; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker, notice of, ——; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 707.

# REVISED CODE OF 1874—

Chapter 60, Section 12—an act to amend the—notice of intention to introduce, 367.

# REVISED CODE

Chapter 99, Section 14—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 533; introduced and read, 541; read second time and referred, 548; reported back, 558; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 567.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 18—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 544; introduced and read, 791; read second time and referred, 806; reported back, 831; read third time and passed, 836.

# REVISED CODE-

Chapter 16—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 563.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 14—an act to amend—notice given of intention to introduce, 563.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 10—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 563; introduced, read and title amended, 877.

#### REVISED CODE-

Chapter 24—a further supplement to—notice of intention to introduce given, 565.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 125—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 564.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 29—an act supplementary to—notice given, 564.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 57—an act to amend, relating to Division Fences—notice of intention to introduce given—introduced and read, 729; read second time under suspension of rule, 741; reported back, 743; read third time and passed, 747.

## REVISED CODE—

Chapter 34, an act to amend—notice of inention to introduce given, 597.

# REVISED CODE-

Chapter 30, an act to amend, entitled of the Auditor of Accounts—notice of intention to intro duce given, 597; introduced and read, 608; read second time and referred, 617; reported back, 637; read third time and passed, 649; returned concurred in, 712; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 764; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 801.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 29, an act to amend, entitled of the "State Treasurer and Trustees of the School Fund"—notice of intention to introduce given, 597; introduced and read, 608; read second time and referred, 617; reported back, 637; read third time and passed, 650; returned concurred in, 712; reported, enrolled and presented, for the signature of the Speaker, 765 returned; from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 802.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 85—an act supplem ntary to—relating to intestat, real estate—presented for concurrence, 665; read, 673; read second time and referred under suspension of Rulee 679.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 4, an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given—; introduced and read and title amended, 754.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 4, Section 1, an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce,—; introduced and read,—; read second time and referred, 852; reported back, 874; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 880.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 12, of the Revised Code of 1874, a supplement to—entitled of collectors—notice of intention to introduce given, 597; introduced and read, 850; rule suspended and bill read second time and referred, 851; reported back, 860; read third time and passed, 866; concurred in, 886; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 896; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 905.

# Revised Code—

Chapter 91, an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 597.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 7—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 577.

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#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 73—an act to amend—notice of intention to in roduce given, 577; introduced and read, 849; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 850; reported back and title amended, 868.

#### REVISED CODE-

Chapter 120—an act to amend—entitled of "Landlord and Tenant"—notice of intention to introduce, 578; introduced and read, 760; read second time and referred, 780; reported back, 832; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 837; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 883.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 99—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 578.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 115, Section 12—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 584; introduced and read, 623; rule suspended and bill read second time and referred, 625; reported back, 637; read third time and passed, 646; concurred in, 704; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 765; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 802.

#### REVISED CODE-

Chapter 30, Sections 3 and 17—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 585.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 72—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 585.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 123—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 594; introduced and read, 598; read second time and referred, 615; reported back, 776; read third time and passed, 781.

#### REVISED CODE-

Chapter 8, an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 565.

# REVISED CODE—

Chapter 74—a supplement to—entitled of the "Domestic Relations"—notice of intention to introduce given, 576; introduced and read, 586; read second time and referred, 615.

# REVISED CODE-

Chapter 3—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 577.

#### REVISED CODE—

Chapter 49—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 577.

# REVISED STATUTES—

Chapter 48—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 518; introduced and read, 534; read second time and referred, 547; reported back, 558; read third time and passed, 566.

# REVISED STATUTES—

Chapter 57—an act to amend—notice of intention to introduce given, 483.

#### REVISED STATUTES—

An act to amend Chapter 106 of the—concerning pleading and practice in civil actions—notice of intention to introduce given, 361; introduced and read, 390; read second time and referred, 394; reported back, read third time and passed, 414; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

#### REVISED STATUTES—

Chapter 18, Section 21, of the—of the State of Delaware—presented for concurrence, 841; read, 849; rule suspended and bill read second time and referred, 852; reported back, 860 read third time and passed, 867; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 900; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

# REVISED STATUTES-

An act to amend Chapter 83 of the—notice of intention to introduce given, 213.

# REVISED STATUTES-

Chapter 60, Section 16, of the Revised Statutes, an act to amend—concerning Roads and Highways—notice given, 90.

#### REVISED STATUTES—

Chapter LXIII an act to amend—presented for concurrence, 562; read, 575; read second time and referred, under suspension of Rule, 580; reported back, 582; read third time and passed, 591; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 703; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 835.

#### REVISED STATUTES—

Chapter 57, a supplement to—of the State of Delaware, entitled "Of Fences,"—notice of intention to introduce given, 533; introduced and read, 538; read second time and referred, 548; reported back, with an amendment, 638; amendment read and adopted, and further consideration indefinitely postponed, 651.

# RIVER FRONT LAND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 144; read, 144; read second time and referred, 148; reported back, with an amendment, 199; recommitted,; 204 reported back, with an amendment, 226; taken up for consideration, amendment adopted, read third time and passed, 231; concurred in, notice of, 237; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 291; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 305.

# ROAD COMMISSIONERS OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY—

An act in relation to election of—notice of intention to introduce given, —; introduced and read, 448; read second time and referred, 474; 100 copies ordered printed, 537; 200 additional copies ordered printed, 551; reported back with an amendment, 581; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 591; taken up for consideration and again laid on the table, 592; taken up—amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 715; concurred in with amendments, 759; amendments read and concurred in, 769; reported enrolled, 854; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 894.

# ROAD COMMISSIONERS OF CHRISTIANA HUNDRED-

An act limiting the power of the—to levy and collect a tax—notice given, 109; introduced and read, 116 read second time and referred, 128; reported back, 147; recommitted, 151; reported back, 226; read third time and passed, 235; returned concurred in—notice of, 405; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 450; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

## ROAD TAXES IN RED LION HUNDRED—

An act concerning the payment of—notice of intention to introduce given, 578; introduced and read, 660; read second time under suspension of rules and referred, 667; reported back, 693; read third time and passed, 714; concurred in—notice of, 881; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 886; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 902.

#### ROAD IN SUSSEX COUNTY-

An act to change and straighten a public—presented for concurrence, 705; read, 725; read second time and referred under suspension of rules, 727; reported back, 777; read third time and passed, 782; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 842; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 875.

# ROAD IN MISPILLION HUNDRED, KENT COUNTY-

An act to lay out a new public—reported by committee, 670; read; 708; read second time, 727; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 751; taken up, read third time and passed, 830; returned concurred in, 889; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 896; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 905.

# ROAD IN FARMINGTON, MISPILLION HUNDRED, KENT COUNTY—

A supplement to the act, entitled an act to authorize the vacation of a certain public—and to substitute a new road to be laid out in lieu of the part of said public road, so vacated, passed at Dover, Delaware, April 5, 1883—reported from committee as a substitute; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 787; returned concurred in,

824; reported, enrol and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 854; re signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

ROAD THROUGH LANDS OF W. J. WILLCUTTS AND OTHERS, IN SOUTH MURDERKILL HUNDRED, KENT COUNTY—

An act to lay out a public—reported by committee, 392; read second time, 423; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 446.

ROAD IN SOUTH MURDERKILL HUNDRED—

An act to lay out a new public road and vacate an old road in—presented for concurrence, 437; read, 468; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule 12, 471; reported back, 482; read third time and passed, 489; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 630; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 641.

ROAD IN BROADKILN HUNDRED, SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to change the course of a public—reported by committee, 517; read, 526; read second time, 534; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 539; concurred in, 664; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 694; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 707.

ROAD IN KENT COUNTY FROM HAWKIN'S M. E. CHURCH TO WRIGHT'S CROSS ROADS—

An act to straighten a public—reported by committee, 358; read, 383; read second time, 395; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 423; taken up, read third time and passed, 716, returned concurred in, 792; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 854; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

ROAD IN MILFORD HUNDRED-

An act to change the the course of a public—notice of intention to introduce given, 361; introduced and read, 400; read second time and referred, 405; reported back, 436; taken up for consideration, and laid on the table, 441;

taken up for consideration, amendment offered and adopted, bill read third time and passed, 527; returned concurred in, 583; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 622.

# ROAD IN MISPILLION HUNDRED, KENT COUNTY—

An act to change the course of a—and for other purposes, reported by committee, 392; read, 399; read second time and referred, 405; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 417; concurred in with amendment, 757; amendment read and concurred in, 762; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 855; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

# ROAD IN MISPILLION HUNDRED, KENT COUNTY-

An act to lay out a—known as the Simpson road, reported by committee and read, 148; read a second time, 160; taken up for consideration, and laid on the table, 278; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 400; returned concurred in; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 693; returned signed by the Speaker of Senate, 707.

# ROAD LEADING FROM DOVER TO SMYRNA-

An act to authorize Thos. W. Wilson to straighten and extend the public—reported by committee, 223; read second time, 240; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 259; concurred in notice of, 437; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 471.

# ROAD IN DUCK CREEK HUNDRED-

An act to change the course of a—presented for concurrence, 224; read, 770; read second time, and referred, 806; reported back, 874; taken up for consideration, amended; read third time and passed, 888; concurred in the amendment, 894; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 901; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

ROAD IN THE VILLAGE OF FARMINGTON, KENT CO.—
"An act to authorize the vacation of a part of a certain

public—in Mispillion Hundred, and to substitute a new road to be laid out in lieu of the part of said public road so vacated," reported by Committee and read, 528; read second time, 533; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 539; taken up for consideration, amended, read third time and passed, 576; returned, concurred in with amendment, 724; amendment read and concurred in, 739; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 745; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 753.

ROAD IN DUCK CREEK HUNDRED IN KENT COUNTY—
An act to lay out a new public,—presented for concurrence,
576; read, 598; read second time and referred, 609; reported back, 638; read third time and passed, 651;
presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate,
773; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 835.

ROAD IN LITTLE CREEK HUNDRED SUSSEX COUNTY—An act to change the course of a—presented for concurrence, 224; read, 262; read second time and referred, 276; read third time and passed, 320; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 459; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 561.

ROAD FROM DOVER TO CAMDEN—

An act to widen and straighten the public—notice of intention to introduce, 336; introduced and read, 360; read second time, 380; reported back, 392; read third time and passed, 399; returned concurred in, 458; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 559; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

# ROAD IN KENT COUNTY-

An act to change the course of a public—notice of intention to introduce given 346; introduced and read, 413; read second time and referred, 422; reported back, 436; read third time and passed, 442; returned concurred in, 476; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

ROAD IN WEST DOVER HUNDRED IN KENT COUNTY FROM HARTLY TO SLAUGHTER STATION—

An act to lay out a new public—reported by committee, 358; read 381; read second time, 395; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 424; taken up for consideration and lost, 715.

ROAD IN MISPILLION HUNDRED IN KENT COUNTY—An act to lay out a new public—reported by committee and read, 100; read second time by title, 119; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 128; read third time, passed and sent to the Senate, 134; returned concurred in by the Senate with an amendment, 202; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 273; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 312.

ROAD IN EAST DOVER HUNDRED, KENT COUNTY—An act to authorize the laying out of a—reported by committee and read, 88; read second time, 101; reported back with amendment—amendment adopted—bill and amendment laid on the table, 402; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 542; returned concurred in, 671; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 693; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 707.

# ROAD LEADING TO MISPILLION CREEK IN KENT COUNTY—

An act to extend the public—notice of intention to introduce given, 107; introduced and read, 111; read second time and referred, 127; reported back, 146; read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate, 151; returned concurred in, 207; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 249; returned signed by the Speaker of Senate, 268.

ROAD IN MISPILLION HUNDRED, KENT COUNTY—
An act to lay out a new public—reported by committee

127; read, 128; read second time and referred, 154; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 278; concurred in by the Senate with an amendment, notice of, 415; amendment concurred in by the House, 144

416; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 450; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

# ROADS IN NEW CASTLE COUNTY—

An act in relation to—notice of intention to introduce given, 451; read second time and referred, 484; reported back, 517; read third time and passed, 525.

# ROAD TAXES IN NEW CASTLE COUNTY-

An act relative to the collection of—notice of intention to introduce given, 518; introduced and read, 541; read second time and referred, 548; reported back, 582; read third time and passed, —; returned concurred in, with an amendment, 792; amendment read and concurred in, 815 returned to the Senate as per request, 827.

# ROBBINS HOSE COMPANY, No. 1.—

An act to incorporate the—of Dover, Delaware, presented for concurrence, and read, 113; read second time and referred, 127; reported back, 139; taken up for consideration read third time, passed and ordered returned to the Senate 143; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 203; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 274.

# ROTHWELL B. F. C. AND OTHERS-

An act for the relief of—reported by committee and read, 538; read second time and referred, 549; read third time and passed, 571.

# Rust, W. C.-

An act transferring the farm now belonging to—and situated in School District, No 143, in Sussex County, from said district, No. 143, to School District No. 90, in said County—notice of intention to introduce given, 349; introduced and read, 360; read second time and referred, 379; reported back, 392; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 401; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 411; concurred in by Senate—notice of, 482; enrolled and signed by the Speaker—notice of, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

#### SCIRE FACIAS—

An act requiring the issuing of a—on a mortgage, to be noted on the record thereof, —; presented for concurrence, 337; read, 346; read second time and referred, 355; reported back, 375; read third time and passed, 388; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 529; returned signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 531.

School Districts Nos 39 and 41 in New Castle—An act to authorize the—to borrow money for the purpose of building a new school house therein, and also to sell the school property belonging to said districts—notice of intention to introduce given, 87; introduced and read, 97; read second time and referred, 108; reported from committee, read third time, passed and ordered to Senate for concurrence—notice of, 111; returned concurred in, 159; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 249; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 268.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 31, SUSSEX COUNTY—
An act to prevent stock from running at large in—presented for concurrence, 768; read, 779; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 780; reported back, 789; read third time and passed, 796; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 841; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 876.

# School Districts Nos. 62, 63, 64 and 86 in Georgetown Hundred--

An act to create a new school district from—in Sussex County—presented for concurrence, 336; read,—; read second time and referred, 354; reported back, 595; read third time and passed, 601; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 703.

SCHOOL DISTRICT IN KENT COUNTY—

An act to create and establish a new—reported by committee, 519; read, 527; read second time, 534; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 540; amendment offered and adopted; bill as amended read third time and passed, 608; returned concurred in, 671; reported, enrolled and

presented for the signature of the Speaker, 694; returned from the Senate and signed by the Speaker, 707.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS NOS. 124 AND 16 IN LEWES AND REHOBOTH HUNDRED, SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to consolidate—presented for concurrence, 522; read, 541; read second time and referred, 548; reported back, 595; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 601; taken up for consideration and recommitted, 685; reported back, 641; taken up for consideration, Section 1 read and lost—and bill lost, 653.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 81, NEW CASTLE COUNTY—
An act relating to—notice of intention to introduce given,
227; introduced and read, 240; read second time and
referred, 254; reported back, 275; read third time and
passed, 287; concurred in, notice of, 405; enrolled and

referred, 254; reported back, 275; read third time and passed, 287; concurred in, notice of, 405; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 450; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

SCHOOLS FREE IN KENT COUNTY-

An act for the benefit of—notice of intention to introduce given, 236; introduced and read, 239; and 150 copies ordered printed, 239; read second time and referred, 253; reported back, 497; read third time and passed, 503.

Schools (Free)—

An act to appropriate money for—in this State—notice of intention to introduce given, 392; introduced and read, 437; read second time and referred, 453; reported back without recommendation, 641; taken up for consideration and made a special order, 654; taken up for consideration the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again, 661; House again resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, reported back to House with amendments, ordered printed and laid on the table, 662-665; taken up for consideration, amendments reported by the Committee of the Whole read, Nos. 1, 3 and 4 lost, No. 2 adopted, 802, 803; again taken up, various amendments offered and adopted, and bill read third time and pass d, 804; returned concurred in, 886; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the

Speaker of the House, 896; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 905.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 106, AN A PART OF DISTRICTS
NOS. 84 AND 54, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 482; read, 494; read second time, 503; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 520; returned concurred in, 760; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 790; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 905.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 43, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
An act to prevent live stock from running at large in---re-

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in--reported by committee, 517; read 526; read second time, 534; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 540; returned concurred in, 674; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker,—; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 707.

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 531; read, 537; read second time, 542; read third time and passed, 570; concurred in, 704; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 765; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 801.

An act to prohibit live stock from running at large in—
reported by committee, 543; read, 549; read second
time under suspension of Rule, 557; read third time and
passed, 571.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 126, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—notice
of intention to introduce given, 594; introduced and read,
660; read second time and referred under suspension of
rules, 667; reported back, 701; read third time and passed,
721.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 78, IN NEW CASTLE COUNTY—An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 595; read, 605; read second time, 609; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 625; concurred in, 664; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 694; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 707.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 13, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 595; read, 605; read second time, 609; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 626.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 41, IN SUSSEX COUNTY— An act to repeal a stock law in—notice of intention to introduce given, 600.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS, Nos. 80 AND 152, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—notice of intention to introduce given—introduced and read, 660; read second time and referred under suspension of rule, 667; reported back, 701; read third time and passed, 720; concurred in, 808; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 854; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 894.

# LEWES AND REHOBOTH HUNDRED-

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—presented for concurrence, 675; read, 678; read second time and referred under suspension of rule, 680; reported back, 701; read third time and passed, 720; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 809; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 875.

SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 38, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—presented for concurrence, 738; read, 741; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 742; reported back, 777; read third time and passed, 782; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 842; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 875.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 90 IN THE TOWN OF BRIDGE-VILLE SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to incorporate and enlarge,—and for other purposes—notice of intention to introduce given, 450; introduced and read, 554; read second time and referred under suspension of Rules, 557; reported back, 596; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 604; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 612; concurred in, 738; reported enrolled, 877; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 902.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 40 IN LITTLE CREEK HUNDRED, SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to prevent stock from running at large in—presented for concurrence, 452; read, 470; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule 12, 472; reported back, 482; read third time and passed, 490; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 630; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 663,

SCHOOL DISTRICTS NOS. 34, 42 and 54 IN SUSSEX CO.—An act to prohibit live stock from running at large in—reported by Committee, 462; read, 469; read second time under suspension of Rule 12, 472; taken up for consideration and recommitted, 480; reported back, 483; read third time and passed, 493.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 32 IN SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by Committee, 419; read, 432; read, second time, 439; taken of consideration, read third time and passed under suspension of Rule 12, 444; returned, concurred in, 562; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker—notice of, 622.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 140 IN SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by the Committee, 419; read, 432; read second time, 440; taken up for consideration, 455; read third time and passed 456; returned, concurred in, 583; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 622; returned, signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 639.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 29, IN SUSSEX COUNTY— An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—notice of intention to introduce given, 421; introduced and read,

438; read second time, 455; reported back, 462; read third time and passed, 467; returned concurred in, 546 reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 622; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 663.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 63, IN SUSSEX COUNTY-

An act to prohibit live stock from running at large in—presented for concurrence, 429; read, 433; read second time and referred, 440; reported back, 449; read third time and passed, 460; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 547; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 640.

SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 18. IN SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to prevent live stock from running at large inreported by committee, 292; read, 295; read second time 307; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 328; returned concurred in, 476; enrolled and presented, for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 559; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 602.

SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 53, IN SUSSEX COUNTY-

An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 320; read, 321; read second time by title, 326; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 361; concurred in, notice of, 405; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House 450; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 521

SCHOOL DISTRICTS, NOS. 173, 120 AND 119, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to prevent live stock from running at large inreported by committee, 234; read, 362; read second time 379; taken up for consideration, amendment offered and adopted, bill read third time and passed, 431; returned concurred in, 562; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 623; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 663.

- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 42½, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—
  reported by committee, 358; read, 381; read second time
  and referred, 394; taken up for consideration, read third
  time and passed, 412.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 132, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported
  by committee, 358; read, 382; read second time, 394;
  taken up for consideration, read third time and passed,
  412.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 39, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prohibit live stock from running at large in—
  presented for concurrence, 369; read, 389; read second
  time and referred, 401; taken up for consideration, read
  third time and passed, 411; presented, enrolled and signed
  by the Speaker of the Senate, 631; returned signed by the
  Speaker of the House, 640.
- SCHOOL DISTRICTS, Nos. 8 AND 153, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  - An act to prevent live stock from running at large inreported by committee, 403; read, 407; read second time,
    415; taken up for consideration, read third time and
    passed, 424; returned concurred in, 476; enrolled and
    presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House,
    560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 156, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—
  reported by committee, 403; read, 407; read second time,
  415; taken up for consideration, read third time and
  passed, 424; returned concurred in, 476; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560;
  returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 602.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 68, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prevent stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 237; read, 246; read second time and referred, 253; taken up to consideration, read third time and passed, 278; returned concurred in, 405; enrolled and presented

for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 450; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 61, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 273; read, 287; read second time, 295; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed 308; returned concurred in, 452; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 499; presented signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 532.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 106, IN KENT COUNTY—
  An act to dissolve—reported from committee, 275; read, 288
  read second time, 361; taken up for consideration, rea
  third time and passed, 383; returned non-concurred in
  641.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 98, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—reported by committee, 291; read, 295; read second time 307; taken up for consideration, read third time, an passed, 327.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 18, IN SUSSEX COUNTY— An act to prohibit live stock from running at large in—nd tice given, 160.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 41, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prohibit live stock from running at large in—pr
  sented for concurrence, 207; read, 246; read second tin
  and referred, 254; reported back, 273; taken up f
  consideration, read third time and passed, 286; presente
  enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate,—
  returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of
  420.
- SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 89, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—
  An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—pr
  sented for concurrence, 224; read, 246; read second tin
  and referred, 253; reported back, 273; taken up f
  consideration, read third time and passed, 286; presente
  enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 40

presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 420.

STOCK (LIVE)—

An act in relation to—running at large in the several school districts of this State—notice of intention to introduce given, 270.

SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 63, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—

An act to repeal a stock law in—notice of intention to introduce given, 578; introduced and read, 608; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule, 618; reported back, 638; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed, 653.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 116, IN KENT COUNTY—

An act for the relief of—reported by committee, 583; read 593; read second time, 614; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 626; concurred in, 704; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 765; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 801.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS NOS. 152, and 8, IN SUSSEX COUNTY—An act to prevent live stock from running at large in—notice of intention to introduce given, 586.

#### SHEEP-

An act for the protection of—reported by committee and read, 446; read second time, 454; taken up for consideration and indefinitely postponed,—.

# SHARP, THOMAS E-

An act to divorce—and his wife Martha P., from the bonds of matrimony, reported by committee, 621; read, 636; read second time, 645; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 683; concurred in, 760; reported back, 810; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker;—; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker of, 831.

# SHIPLEY STREET SEWER COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 648; read, 673; read second time, and referred under suspension

of rules, 679; reported back, 692; read third time and passed, 731; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 758; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 759.

SHIPPERS OF FRUIT, VEGETABLES, EGGS, &C,-

An act to protect—presented for concurrence, 705; read, 722; read second time and referred, 726; reported back, 833; taken up for consideration, amendment offered and adopted, and bill as amended indefinitely postponed, 845.

# SEIDEL AND HASTINGS COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 327; read, 345; read second time and referred, 354; reported back, 406; read third time and passed, 409; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 604; returned signed by the Speakers of the two Houses, 623.

#### SEAFORD-

An act to re-incorporate the town of—notice of intention to introduce given, 109; introduced and read, 143—144; read second time and referred, 148; reported back, 293; taken up for consideration, 295; read third time and passed, 296; returned concurred in by the Senate, 326; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

#### Smyrna—

A further supplement to the act, entitled an act in relation to the town of—passed at Dover, Feb. 25, 1859—presented for concurrence, 831; read, 848; rule suspended and read second time and referred, 850; reported back, 865; taken up for consideration and laid on the table 868; taken up for consideration, read third time and lost, 901; reconsidered, 901; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 908; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 914; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 920.

# SMYRNA PUBLIC SCHOOLS—

A supplement to an act to consolidate the—of the town of presented for concurrence, 203; read, 205; read seconp

time and referred, 210; reported back, 237; read third time and passed, 244; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 402; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 420.

# SIRMAN, THEODORE P.

An act authorizing—to vacate an old road and open a new one in Gumboro Hundred, Sussex county—presented for concurrence, 642; read, 666; read second time under suspension of rule, 668; reported back, 671; read third time and passed, 709; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 773; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 835.

# St. Mary's Total Abstinence Beneficial Pioneer Corps—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence and read, 145; read a second time and referred, 149; reported back, 157; read third time, passed and ordered returned to the Senate, 166; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 271; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 274.

# SPRINGER, MORLEY & GAUSE COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 65; read, 66; read second time and referred, 73; reported back to the House, and read a third time, and passed, and returned to the Senate, 98; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 203; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 274.

#### St. Georges—

An act to amend an act, entitled "A supplement to the act to incorporate the town of,"—notice given, 578; introduced and read, 724; read second time and referred, 728; reported back, 745; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 761; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 892; returned concurred in, 904; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 911; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 913.

# St. Georges-

A supplement to an act, entitled "An act to incorporate the town of"—passed at Dover, March 6, 1877—notice given, 578.

# St. Georges Canning Company—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 439; introduced and read, 636; read second time and referred, 645; reported back, 670; read third time and passed, 677; concurred in, 712; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 765; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 802.

# STANTON MANUFACTURING COMPANY-

Notice of intention to introduce given, introduced and read, 320; read second time and referred, 325; reported back, 357; read third time and passed, 371; returned concurred in, 458; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 499; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 532.

# STATE TREASURER AND TRUSTEES OF THE SCHOOL FUND—

An act to amend Chapter 29, entitled of the—notice of intention to introduce given, 597; introduced and read, 608; read second time and referred, 637; read third time and passed, 650; concurred in, 712; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 765; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 802.

## STOCK-

An act in reference to live—running at large in the several School Districts in Sussex County—notice of intention to introduce given, 573; introduced and read, 586; read second time and referred, 600; reported back, 638; read third time and passed, 652; returned concurred in with an amendment, 874; amendment read and concurred in, 878; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 886; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 902.

# ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL (FAULKLAND)-

An act to incorporate—presented for concurrence, 452; read, 468; read second time and referred under suspension of rules,

471; reported back, with amendment, 485; amendment read and adopted, and bill read third time and passed, 495; Senate concurred in House amendment, notice of, 508; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate 630; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 640.

# SUNDAY STAR PUBLISHING COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice given, 145; introduced and read, 155; read second time and referred, 161; reported back, 187; read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate for concurrence, 191; returned concurred in, 234; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 273; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 312.

# SUPERIOR COURT-

An act concerning the—notice of intention to introduce given, 578.

# SUSSEX MIDLAND RAILROAD COMPANY—

An act to amend the act, entitled "An act to incorporate the"—notice of intention to introduce given, 120; introduced and read, 133; read second time and referred, 141.

# SUSSEX MIDLAND RAILROAD COMPANY-

A act to amend the act entitled, an act to incorporate the—
notice of intention to introduce given, 392; introduced
and read, 436; read second time and referred, 453; reported back with amendment, 501; amendment adopted,
bill as amended read third time and passed, 507; returned
concurred in, 533; reported enrolled and presented for the
signature of the Speaker of the House, 559; returned
signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 602.

TATMAN, JAMES-

An act divorcing—and Catharine C, his wife, from the bonds of matrimony—reported by committee, 436; read, 442; read second time and referred under suspension of Rule, 443; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed under suspension of Rule, 444; returned concurred in, 498; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

# TAXES-

An act to equalize—in the State of Delaware—notice of intention to introduce given, 393; introduced and read, 447; read second time and referred, 454; reported back, 498; taken up for consideration, read third time and lost, 504.

# TAXES FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES-

An act to amend Section 2, Chapter 354, Volume 16, in relation to the collection of—notice of intention to introduce given, 188; introduced and read, 199; read second time and referred, 240; reported back, 249; read third time and passed, 255; vote by which bill passed, reconsidered and made a special order, 260; taken up for consideration and recommitted, 277; reported back with amendments; amendments adopted; bill read third time and passed, 388; returned concurred in, with amendment, 610; amendment read and non-concurred in, 626.

# TELEGRAPH COMPANIES—

An act relating to—notice of intention to introduce given, 210; introduced and read 340; read second time and referred, 351; 100 copies ordered printed, 360; reported back with an amendment, 832; taken up for consideration, House resolved itself into a committee of the whole, reported back with various amendments, severally read and adopted, and bill read third time and lost, 842.

# TOMAHAWK BRANCH DITCH COMPANY-

An act to revive and re-enact an act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 99; introduced and read, 112; reported back, 157; read third time, passed and ordered to the Senate, 164; returned concurred in, 234; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 304; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 350.

# TOWNSEND, BENJAMIN F.—

An act to authorize and direct the Levy Court of New Castle County, to repay certain moneys to—and others—notice of intention to introduce given, 246; introduced and read, 251; read a second time and referred, 266; reported back, 339; taken up for consideration and laid on the table,

344; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed 395; leave granted to absent members to record their votes, 399

# TORPEDO COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 437; introduced and read, 484; read second time and referred, 502; reported back, 516; taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 524; returned concurred in, 562; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 693; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 708.

# TREAT, C. H. MANUFACTURING COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 665; read, 666; read second time under suspension of rule, 669; reported back, 692; read third time and passed, 712 presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 773; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 835.

TRUSTEES OF THE POOR FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY—
An act in relation to the—reported by committee as a substitute, 764; read, 827; rule suspended and read second time, 829; taken up for consideration, amendment offered as a substitute, which was read and adopted, and bill read third time and passed, 836; returned concurred in, 897; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, 907; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 913.

TRUSTEES OF THE POOR OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY— An act in relation to the—notice of intention to introduce given, 594.

TRUSTEES OF THE POOR OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY—
An act providing for certain compensation—notice of intention to introduce given, 210; introduced and read, 239; read second time and referred, 254; reported a substitute, 764.

UNITED STATES GAS AND WATER COMPANY— An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 562; read, 575; read second time and referred under suspension 146

of Rule, 580; reported back with an amendment, —; amendment read and adopted, 774; read third time and passed, 781; Senate non-concurred in the amendment—noticel of, 791; House insists upon its amendments, 815.

UNITED BENEVOLENT DAUGHTERS OF SOLOMON-

An act to incorporate the—of Milford, Del.—notice of intention to introduce given, 398; introduced and read, 404; read second time and referred, 415; reported back with amendment, 419; taken up for consideration, amendment adopted, bill read third time and passed, 427; returned concurred in, 476; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House—notice of, 559; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

UNIVERSAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 786; read, 811; read second time and referred, 829; reported back, 853; read third time and passed, 862; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 901; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 919.

VACCINATION OF CHILDREN IN FREE SCHOOLS-

An act to provide for the—notice given, 153; read second time and referred, 254; reported back, taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 447; concurred in with amendment, 561; amendment read and concurred in, 573; reported enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 621; returned from the Senate signed by the Speaker, 664.

VAUGHN, JOSEPH-

An act to enable—to survey and locate certain vacant lands in Broad and Little Creek Hundreds, Sussex county, and complete his title thereto—notice of intention to introduce given,—; introduced and read, 672; read second time and referred under suspension of rule, 680; reported back, 701; read third time and passed, 721; concurred in, 778; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker, notice of, 854; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 894.

Vaughn, W. H.—

An act to dissolve the bonds of matrimony between—and Martha A. Vaughn—reported by committee, 359; read,

383; read second time and referred, 394; read third time and passed, 423; returned concurred in, 490; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 560; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 603.

WAPELLO MANUFACTURING COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 648; read, 674; read second time and referred under suspension of Rules, 678; reported back, 692; read third time and passed, 710; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 774; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 834.

WALKER, MARTIN E. ADMINISTRATORS—

An act for the relief of—notice of intention to introduce given, 373; introduced and read, 389; read second time and referred, 393; reported back, 403; read third time and passed, 406; concurred in by the Senate with amendment, 492; amendment read and concurred in, 492; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 493; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 518.

VAWASSET ICE COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 348; introduced and read, 360; read second time and referred, 379; reported back, 419; read third time and passed, 426; returned concurred in, 458; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 499; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 532.

VAWASSET ASSOCIATION—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 564.

VEIGHTS AND MEASURES-

An act to provide for the regulation of—presentedfor concurrence, 583; read, 610; read second time and referred, under suspension of Rule, 618; reported back with amendment, 670; amendment read and adopted, 686; reported back, 701; read third time and passed, 717; Senate concurred in House amendment, notice of, 738;

presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 774; returned signed by the Speaker of the House 834.

# WESLEYAN COLLEGE-

An act to incorporate the presented for concurrence, 94 read, 95; read second time and referred, 133; reported back, 157; read third time, passed and ordered returned 169; presented enrolled signed by the Speaker of th Senate, notice of, 291; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 305.

# WHITELY, DR. ALBERT-

An act to transfer the farm and mansion of—from school district No. 31, to united school districts Nos. 32, 75, 7 and 78, in Kent county—presented for concurrence, 601 read, 606; read second time and referred, 616; reporte back, 790; presented enrolled and signed by the Speake of the Senate, 842; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 875.

#### WILLS-

An act concerning—notice of intention to introduce given

Wilson, John C .-

An act to divorce—and his wife Annie J., from the bonds of matrimony—reported from committee as a substitute, real third time and passed, 783; concurred in, 831; reporte enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, notic of, 855; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate 895.

# WHITAKER, GEORGE P. COMPANY-

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 113; introduced and read, 143; read second time and referred, 161; reported back, 187; read third time passed and ordered to the Senate for concurrence, 192 returned concurred in, 234; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 249; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 268.

# WILMINGTON AND CHRISTIANA TURNPIKE—

An act to convert that part of the—within the limits of the city of Wilmington into a free public highway, or street,—notice given, 119; introduced and read, 132; read second time and referred, 141; reported, 147; recommitted, 152; read third time and passed, 206; returned concurred in, 265; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 273; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 312.

# WILMINGTON AND READING RAILROAD—

An act to incorporate the purchasers of—notice of intention to introduce given,—; introduced and read, 152; read second time and referred, 161; reported back, 294; taken up for reconsideration, 296; read third time and passed, 297; concurred in by the Senate—notice of, 369; enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 450; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 522.

# WILMINGTON-

City Council of—invited to a seat on the floor, 237.

# WILMINGTON AND NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY— An act to authorize the—to widen and improve its lines of Railroad within this State—notice of intention to introduce given, 434; introduced and read, 464; read second time and referred, 484; reported back, with amendment, 644; amendments read and adopted, 680; called up, read third time and passed, 702; returned concurred in, 753; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the

# WILMINGTON ASSOCIATION FOR MUTUAL IMPROVE-MENT—

An act to incorporate the—notice of intention to introduce given, 563.

Speaker, 876; returned signed by the Speaker of the

# WILMINGTON COMMERCIAL INTERESTS— An act for the promotion of the—notice given, 563.

# WILMINGTON-

Senate, 902.

An act to further amend the charter of the city of—notice of intention to introduce given, 564.

# WILMINGTON-

An act concerning the city of—notice of intention to introduce given, 577; introduced and read, 729; Rule suspended and read second time and referred, 743; reported back with title amended, 834.

#### WILMINGTON WATER WORKS—

A supplement to the act, entitled "An act for the benefit of"
—notice of intention to introduce given, 580.

#### WILMINGTON-

An act to revise and consolidate the statutes relating to the city of-notice of intention to introduce given, 210; introduced and reading made a special order, 372; read, 381; read second time and referred, 395; reported back with various amendments, 672; taken up for consideration, House resolved into a Committee of the Whole—reported progress, 691; again taken up—House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, reported progress, 696-697; again called up-House again went into a Committee of the Whole—reported further progress and made a special order, 699; again called up-House went into a Committee of the Whole—reported the bill back various amendments, the House with on the table, 706-708; laid amendments printed, 730; taken up for considerationamendments read and severally adopted, and bill recommitted, 774; reported back, read third time and passed, 784-785; schedule "A" referred to in the above, read third time and passed, 785; returned concurred in with various amendments, 816; amendments read and amended, 816-817-818-819-820-821; returned with amendments concurred in, —; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 855; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 895.

WILMINGTON AND CHRISTIANA TURNPIKE COMPANY—An act relating to the—notice of intention to introduce given, 585.

#### WILMINGTON-

An act to authorize the Mayor and Council of—to borrow one hundred and eighty thousand dollars, and to provide

for the payment thereof—presented for concurrence, 611; read, 612; read second time under suspension of Rule, 618; reported back with an amendment, 693; amendment read and adopted, bill as amended read third time and passed, 697-698; amendment concurred in, notice of, 704; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 725; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 729.

# WILMINGTON CITY RAILWAY COMPANY—

A further supplement to an act entitled An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 629; read first and second times, 667; reported back, 692; read third time and passed, 731; presented, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 773; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 835.

# WILMINGTON AND GREAT VALLEY TURNPIKE—

An act to convert that part of the Turnpike, of President and Managers, of the—within the limits of the city of Wilmington into a free highway or street—reported by Committee as a substitute, read second time and referred under suspension of Rules, 748; reported back, 789; taken up for consideration and laid on the table, 796.

# WILMINGTON TRUST, SAFE DEPOSIT AND INSURANCE COMPANY—

An act to incorporate the—presented for concurrence, 803; read 807; Rule suspended and read second time and referred 807; reported back with amendment, 852; amendment read and adopted and bill as amended read third time and passed, 856; amendment concurred in—notice of, 874; presented enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 903; returned signed by the Speaker of the House, 906.

# WILMINGTON AND BRANDYWINE PASSENGER RAILWAY COMPANY—

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An act to vacate Sixteenth street, from the southerly side of Scott street to the northerly side of DuPont street, in the city of—reported as a substitute, and read, 825; Rule suspended and read second time and referred, 829; reported back, 832; read third time and passed, 845; concurred in with an amendment, 881; amendment read and concurred in, 882; reported enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker of the House, 886; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 902.

#### Wilmington—

An act to amend an act, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the statutes relating to—passed at Dover, April 13, 1883"—notice given—; introduced and read, 877; rule suspended and bill read second time, and referred, 883; reported back, 884; rule 12 suspended and taken up for consideration, read third time and passed, 884; returned concurred in, 900; Senate requested the bill returned, 904; returned as per request, 904; returned concurred in with an amendment, 905; amendment read and concurred in, 907; reported, enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House, notice of, 911; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 914

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An act to amend the charter of the City of—notice of intention to introduce given,—; introduced and read;—; read second time and referred,—; reported back as an amendment, read third time and passed, 868; returned concurred in with an amendment, 897; amendment read and concurred in, 897; reported, enrolled and presented for the signature of the Speaker, 907; returned signed by the Speaker of the Senate, 913.

# WILMINGTON & WESTERN RAIL ROAD-

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## WILMINGTON MARKET HOUSE COMPANY-

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#### WILMINGTON GLASS COMPANY—

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Delawarean-presented and referred, 682.

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Hawkins, James L.—for serving requisition on the Governor of Pennsylvania—presented and referred, 300.

Hunter, Wm.—presented and referred, 810.

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Directed to provide each member of the House with a copy of the Revised Code, and a copy of the laws of the last General Assembly, 9.

Directed to have 1,500 copies of the Governor's message printed for the use of the House, 24.

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Joint Rules—to draft for government of intercourse between the two Houses—appointed, 26-27,

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Special Committee to take into consideration the advisability of increasing Judicial salaries—appointed, 601; report of, submitted, 790; read, 811.

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- To consider the House bill, entitled an act to revise and consolidate the statutes relating to the City of Wilmington, 691; committee rose, reported progress and asked for a further meeting, 691, 696, 697, 699; reported back with various amendments, 706-708.
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- Gasson, J. W., and others, asking for the passage of an act to extend Governor's Avenue—presented, read and referred, 250.
- Carpenter, J. L., and others, in relation to a Railroad Commissioner—presented, read and referred, 377.
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- Elbert, I. D., and other colored citizens of Kent County, in relation to colored schools, presented read and referred, 739.
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- Graham, John H., and others, of the third ward, in the City of Wilmington, asking that the place of holding State and City elections be changed to Fourth and Monroe streets—presented, read and referred, 642.
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- Grewell, Peter C., and others, asking for the passage of an act abolishing school district No. 106, Kent county—presented, read and referred, 224.
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- Humes, D. A., and others, in relation to the tax on manufacturers and merchants—presented and referred, 584.
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- Melvin, Jacob T., and others, asking for a stock law in School Districts Nos. 173, 31, 120 and 119, in Sussex County—presented, read and referred, 315.
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- Parvis, Wm., praying for the passage of a law to divorce him from his wife, Mary Ann—presented, read and referred, 153.
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- Ponder, James, and others praying for the passage of an act to prevent live stock from running at large in School District No. 13, in Sussex County—presented, read and referred, 533.
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- Simpson, David, and others, for a new road in Mispillion Hundred—presented and read, 26; and referred to the committee on roads and vacant lands, 57.
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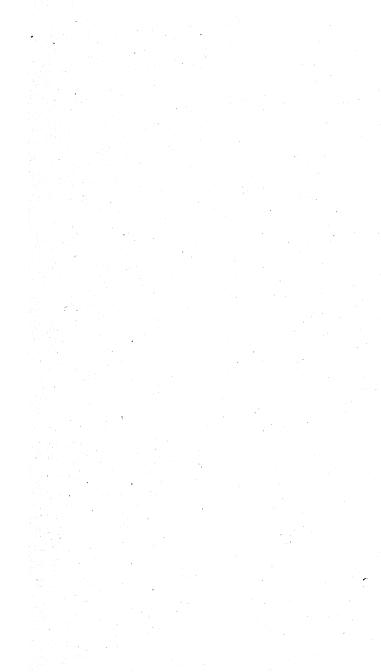
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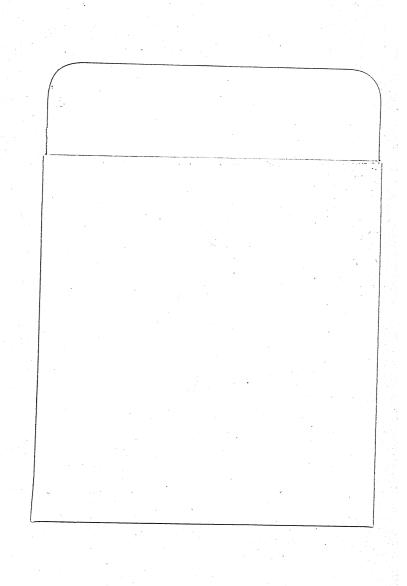
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