On motion by Mr. Dennis,

The vote by which the amendments to said bill were here-tofore adopted, were reconsidered.

Mr. Dennis then withdrew said amendments.

On motion by Mr. Dennis,

Said bill was then recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Stevens, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported favorably the following bills:

Senate bill entitled an Act to amend Article 75, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Pleadings, Practice and Process," by adding to the same, two Sections, rendering equitable defences available in actions at law.

Senate bill entitled an Act to amend Article 72, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Partnerships Limited," by adding thereto a section, regulating the responsibility of persons not being partners, who shall receive or contract to receive a portion of the profits of any partnership, general or limited as a compensation in whole or in part for money loaned, or services rendered thereto or therefor.

Which were read the first time.

Mr. Knight, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably the following bills:

House bill entitled an Act to refund to Horatio J. Sheppard, of Cecil county, a sum of money erroneously paid into the Treasury.

House bill entitled an Act to authorize the County Commissioners, of Frederick county, to adjust and settle the account of Wm. R. Dorsey, Register of voters for Woodville Election District, No. 18, of said county, by paying him such compensation for extra services by him rendered as they may deem right and proper.

Which were read the second time.

And,

Senate bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to pay L. F. Colton & Co., for paper furnished, and for printing binding and distributing the report of the Board of State School Commissioners, for the year 1874, as per order of the Governor, in compliance with the Act of 1872, chapter 377, sub-chapter 12, Section 11.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Getty, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to pay Herbert F. Moore, of