

Minie rifles, with the necessary accoutrements, from the quota due the State from the General Government for the year 1859, upon his giving security for their safe keeping and return when required by the State.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following bills:

A bill entitled, An act to carry into effect the will of William Brown, deceased, of the city of Baltimore;

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Also, a bill entitled, An act to authorize the Comptroller of the Treasury to adjust and settle the accounts of the inspectors of grain in the city of Baltimore;

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on the Constitution.

Also, a bill entitled, An act to authorize the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county to procure a suitable book, and transcribe therein the Indexes in Liber I. N. G. No. 1, of the chattel record books in Kent county;

Which was read the first time, and referred to a special committee, composed of Messrs. Blackiston, Nuttle and Townsend.

Also, a bill entitled, An act to refund to Levin West, of Frederick county, State taxes erroneously paid to the collector of taxes;

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, a bill entitled, An act to authorize William Briscoe, James C. Milborn, Henry Jones, J. L. Briscoe and Uriah Tippell, Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church of St. Mary's county, to purchase, use and hold a tract of land for a parsonage;

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Mr. Bradley, from a select committee, reported a bill entitled, An act to amend Sections 114, 115, 116, 121, 126 and 127, relating to the schools of Queen Anne's county, of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Bradley, from a select committee, reported the bill entitled, An act to amend the fourth and fifth sections relating