REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Knott, from Committee on Corporations, reported favorably,

House bill entitled "An Act to amend the charter of and to grant certain additional powers and privileges to the Hagerstown and Frederick Railroad Company, a corporation duly incorporated under and in accordance with the provisions of Article 23, of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, so as to confer upon said railway company the right and power to use electricity as a motive power instead of steam, to charge such compensation for hauling passengers, parcels, packages and freight as the board of directors may from time to time determine, and to borrow money, issue bonds and secure the payment of the same."

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Lehmayer, from Judiciary Committee, reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments sections 129, of Article 27, of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title 'Crimes and Punishments,' sub-title 'Gaming,' so as to read as follows."

Which was read a second time.

Also, favorably,

House bill entitled "An Act to declare the sanction and consent of the General Assembly of Maryland to the sale and grant and deed by Emily M. Jenkins and Charles Taylor Jenkins, her husband, to the Vestry of the Church of St. Michaels and All Angels, a religious corporation, to and for the use and benefit of said corporation as hereinafter named.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Latrobe, from Committee on Ways and Means, reported favorably, with amendments,

House bill entitled "An Act to repeal sections 102, 103 and 114, of Article 81, of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Revenues and Taxes,' sub-title 'Collateral Inheritance Tax,' and to re-enact the same with amendments."

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

In section 1, line 23, strike out the word "ten" and substitute the word "twelve."