

BILLS—SECOND READING.

House bill entitled "An Act to authorize and empower the commissioners of Easton to execute a deed or deeds of release to the Avon Hotel Company of Talbot county, and John Mason respectively, of so much of those lots enclosed by them respectively as was formally covered by an alley running north from Dover street as a continuation of Talbot Lane, in exchange for another parcel of land to be used for a public alley."

Which was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

House bill entitled to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 242, of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled 'Crimes and Punishments,' sub-title 'Rivers,' and to add an additional section thereto, to be known as 'Section 242 A.'

Which was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

House bill entitled "An Act to appropriate a certain sum of money to the House of Refuge, for the purpose of remodeling the plumbing and closets of the buildings, and for increasing the water supply and for other necessary repairs."

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

By the Committee on Ways and Means,

Amend section 1, line 2, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."

Amend sec. 2, line 3, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."

Which were severally read and adopted.

Which was read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

House bill entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 331 of Article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title 'City of Baltimore,' sub-title 'Criminal Court of Baltimore.'"

Which was read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

House bill entitled "An Act to amend the charter of and to grant certain additional powers and privileges to