

tion statted and the person so charged shall not be liable for the costs."

Which were severally read and adopted, and

The bill, as amended, was read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

House bill entitled "An Act to change the name of Parsons' Creek Election District of Dorchester county to that of Taylor's Island Election District of Dorchester county."

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

House bill entitled "An Act to compensate Sarah Wise, of Baltimore city, for damages to certain property belonging to said Sarah Wise arising from a defective conduit or drain owned and operated by the State of Maryland."

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

House bill entitled "An Act to incorporate the Maryland Sanitary Refrigerating and Ventilating Company."

#### AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

Insert in section 5, on line 5 of the bill after the word "matters" the following words, "incident to its business as aforesaid."

And in line 17, of the same section after the word "refuse" insert the following words, "incident to its business as aforesaid."

And at and after the end of section 5, add the following words: "Provided that nothing in this Act contained shall authorize the said corporation to construct or operate either a general or private sewerage or illuminating gas business, in the city of Baltimore."

Which amendments were adopted, and

The bill as amended, was read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

House bill entitled "An Act to repeal sub-section 2 of chapter 224 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, as passed at the January session of 1896, and to re-enact the same with amendments so as to prohibit the catching of crabs with scoops, scrapes, drags, dredges or similar instruments above a certain line in the waters