On motion of Mr. Scrimger, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Brown, of Baltimore city, be excused from attending this session on account of important business.

On motion of Mr. Bennett, it was

Ordered, That Thos. S. Roberts be excused from this session on account of sickness.

On motion of Mr. Sandman, it was

Ordered, That E. S. W. Choate be excused from attendance at to-day's session on account of important business.

On motion of Mr. Waters, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Buckey be excused from to-day's session on account of business.

LEAVES TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judiciary to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to repeal sections 740 and 741, of Article 4, Public Local Laws, entitled 'City of Baltimore,' sub-title 'Police Commissioners,' as amended and re-enacted by chapter 123 of the Acts of 1898, and to re-enact the same with amendments."

On motion of Mr. Biggs,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Ways and Means to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to incorporate the Maryland State Horticultural Society, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor."

On motion of Mr. Jeffers,

Leave was granted to the Baltimore county delegation to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to authorize the Governor to appoint two additional Justices of the Peace for the Twelfth Election District, and three additional Justices of the Peace for the Fifteen Election District of Baltimore county."

On motion of Mr. Long,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary