additional and partial scholarships at St. John's College for the aid of needy and deserving students in Maryland."

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Bouic, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported favorably,

Senate bill No. 73, entitled "An Act to repeal and reenact, with amendments, section 9 A, of Article 10, of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Attorneys-at-Law and Attorneys-in-Fact,' as added thereto by the Acts of 1898, chapter 166."

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

Also favorably, with proposed amendment,

Senate bill No. 30, entitled "An Act for the encouragement of agriculture."

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Amend printed bill No. 30, thus:

Strike out all words after "a bill" and insert "entitled an Act to add an additional section to Article 66, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled 'Mortgages,' to be known as 'Section 23':

"Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That an additional section be added to Article 66, of the Code of Public General Laws, to read as follows:

"Sec. 66. Whenever any real estate is encumbered by a mortgage or deed of trust, except when it is otherwise specifically stipulated in the mortgage or deed of trust, all annual crops that may have been pitched or cultivated by the mortgagor or grantor, or those holding the deed of trust under him or her, shall not pass with the land under the foreclosure or executive proceedings, but shall be and remain in the mortgagor or grantor in the deed of trust, said mortgagor or grantor in the deed of trust, or those holding under him or her, paying to the purchaser of the land under