ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Dick, it was

Ordered, That Senators Marsh and Beasman be excused from to-day's session on account of business.

On motion of Mr. Williams, of Harford, it was

Ordered, That the sum of seventy-five (\$75) dollars be paid to John E. McCusker for fifteen (15) days services in connection with the care of the Senate Chamber.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Putzel,

A bill entitled "An Act to repeal section 5, of Article 81, of the Code of Pulic General Laws, title 'Revenue and Taxes,' and to re-enact the same with amendments."

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

Mr. Betts, (by request,)

A bill entitled "An Act providing for the laying out etc., of public roads in Washington county."

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

By Mr. Bryan.

A bill entitled "An Act to grant additional corporate powers to the Fraternal Building, Loan and Investment Association of Baltimore city."

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

By Mr. Bouic.

A bill entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 227, of Article 93, of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, as amended by the Act of 1892, chapter 465."

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

By Mr. Brewington,

A bill entitled "An Act to repeal section 91, of Article 25, title 'County Commissioners,' sub-tile 'Public Roads,'