

Was referred to the committee on Finance.

Also, from the same committee reported the following bills:

A bill entitled, an Act changing the name of Rebecca Rickard;

A bill entitled, an Act to authorize W. H. Downs, of Anne Arundel county, to act in the double capacity of Justice of the Peace and Assistant Assessor,

Which were read the first time;

Mr. Clarke, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was committed the bill to authorize the Governor, Comptroller and Treasurer to exchange or sell the Bank Stock standing to the credit of the several counties of the State, for the free and other schools.

Reported it with an amendment,

Which was read and adopted.

The hour having arrived for considering, the order of the day,

On motion of Mr. Stephenson,

It was postponed;

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

Mr. Tome, from the committee on Finance, reported a bill entitled, an Act to authorize the Governor, Comptroller and Treasurer to sell the stock held by the State in the Farmer's Bank of Maryland, the Bank of Baltimore and other Banks in the city of Baltimore, in the Central Bank of Frederick and Easton Bank of Maryland,

Which was read the first time;

Mr. Tome, from the committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill to authorize the commissioner of the Land Office to issue a patent for certain land therein mentioned;

Reported it with an amendment,

Which was read and adopted,

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Tome, from the committee on Finance, reported a bill entitled, an Act to authorize the Governor, Comptroller and Treasurer to sell the dividend stock held by the State in the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company ;

Which was read the first time;