

On motion of Mr. Carmichael,

Leave was granted the Committee on the Judiciary to report a bill for the benefit of the Library Company of the Baltimore Bar.

Also, a bill to be entitled, an Act to declare the sanction of the General Assembly to a certain bequest, by Margaret J. Newman, in favor of Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in Centreville, Queen Ann's county, Maryland. Also to declare said sanction to a bequest of said Margaret J. Newman to the Stewards of said church.

On motion of Mr. Stevens,

Leave was granted the Committee on the Judiciary to report a bill entitled, an Act to add a new section to Article 28 of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to costs, to come in after section 9 of said article.

Mr. Dawson, from a Select Committee, made a favorable report on the bill entitled, an Act to incorporate Temple Lodge No. 128, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons ;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Phelps, from a Select Committee, reported favorably upon the bill entitled, an Act to secure the completion of the Dorchester and Delaware Railroad ;

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Aydelott, from a Select Committee, reported favorably upon the bill entitled, an Act to authorize the trustees of the New Town Academy, in Worcester county, to sell their buildings and grounds, and to invest the proceeds of such sale in a building and ground for a High School in the town of New Town ;

Which was read a first time.

The bill entitled, an Act to form a new Constitution and form of government for the State of Maryland was taken up for consideration, and

On motion of Mr. Jones,

Was postponed until one o'clock to-day.

The bill entitled, an Act to repeal sections eight, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen and nineteen of an Act to Incorporate the Maryland Life Insurance Company of Baltimore, and to re-enact in lieu thereof sections eight, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen and eighteen, as within recorded ;

Being upon its second reading,

Mr. Nicolai offered the following amendment: Add to section 17, "That in the event of there being no children, she