

meanor all malicious injury or waste done by tenants in possession of any lands or tenements, after the writ of *habere facias possessionem* has been sued out, and notice thereof has been served upon the defendants or tenants, or after a sale by any Sheriff of this State, prior to the passing of the property so sold, whether real or personal, to the purchaser thereof.

On motion by Mr. Parker, of Worcester,

Leave was granted to the Senators from Worcester, Wicomico and Somerset to introduce a bill entitled an Act to secure the completion of the Worcester County Rail Road Company.

Mr. Grove, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was recommitted the bill entitled an Act to repeal chapter 153, passed January session, 1867, entitled an Act to add an additional section to Article 30 of the Code of Public General Laws relating to crimes and punishments, and to re-enact the same with amendments, reported the following amendments:

Amend 8th line, add "or cut down a tree or destroy a."

Amend 10th line, add "and after presentment and indictment by a Grand Jury and conviction;" after the word misdemeanor strike out word "and."

Amend 13th line, strike out "or Justice of the Peace."

Said bill was then read the second time.

Mr. Grove from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported a bill entitled an Act to authorize and empower the Trustees of the camp-meeting property in Baltimore county of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Great Falls Circuit to sell and convey certain real estate in said county.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Grove from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings reported favorably the bill entitled an Act to make valid certain official acts of John Miller, as a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Somerset county.

Which was read the second time.

Mr. Grove, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported a bill entitled an Act to repeal the 89th section of Article 16, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled chancery, and relating to process against non-resident infant defendants, as amended by the Act of 1864, chapter 89, and to insert in said Article in lieu of the section so repealed, the following section relating to process against non-resident infant defendants.

Which was read the first time.