re-payment out of the storage and outage on Tobacco, of moneys heretofore demanded and received by the Inspectors of Tobacco, in violation of the Acts of 1864, chapter 346, and 1865, chapter 194, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Williams,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill to repeal the 8th Section of Article 9 of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the assignment of Judgments held by the State, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Also leave was granted to the Select Committee on Oysters to introduce a bill to repeal the 16th section of Article 71 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, entitled Oys-

ters, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Fooks,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Fooks, Hopkins and Corbin to report a bill prescribing the limits of the several election districts in Wicomico county, and numbering the same.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins.

Leave was granted to Messrs. Hopkins, Fooks and Smith, of Worcester, to report a bill limiting the number of Justices of the Peace and constables in the several election districts in Wicomico county.

On motion of Mr. Keech,

Leave was granted to the Committee on the Judiciary to introduce a bill to amend the Act of 1864, chapter 109, in relation to the competency of witnesses and the examination of parties.

Mr. Brown, Chairman Select Committee, submitted the following report:

The committee to prepare rules for the House of Delegates ask leave to report, that they recommend the adoption of the Rules governing the last Legislature, with the exception of the first clause of Rule VI, which they propose to strike out, and also substitute a new Rule for No. 37, viz:

"Upon calls of the House, or on taking the yeas and nays, the names of the members shall be called by counties, according to seniority."

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. BROWN, G. MORRIS BOND, W. E. STEWART, Z. POTEET.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Smith, of Worcester, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, submitted the following report:

The Committee on Printing respectfully report, that they