

opinion. But in view of the circumstances surrounding the passage of the Act of 1866, they are compelled to differ from the majority of the committee in recommending its repeal, believing as they do, that the good faith of the State is involved in its being carried out in its fullest sense.

FERDINAND C. LATROBE,
MICHAEL A. MULLIN,
JAMES A. BOND.

Which was read.

The bill entitled an Act to repeal section 18 of Article 73 of the Public General Laws, entitled "Penitentiary," and to re-enact the same with amendments,

Being upon a second reading, was,

On motion of Mr. Pentland,

Recommitted to the committee who reported the same.

The bill entitled an Act to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Cecil and Kent counties to build a bridge over Sassafrass River, from Fredericktown, in Cecil county, to Georgetown, in Kent county, and to levy a sum of money for the same,

Being upon a second reading, was,

On motion of Mr. Davis, of Cecil,

Recommitted to the select committee which reported the same.

The bill entitled an Act to appoint certain persons therein named as Commissioners to purchase a site and contract for the erection of a court house and jail in the town of Salisbury, the county seat of Wicomico county, and for other purposes therein mentioned,

Was read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Robb moved that the House do now adjourn until tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Decided in the negative.

The bill entitled an Act requiring the County Commissioners of Baltimore and Carroll counties to levy a sum of money to build a bridge across the North Branch of the Patapsco River, on the Lime Kiln Road.

Was read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.