

securities on the bond of John Palmer, Collector of State and county taxes in the 3rd election district of Queen Anne's county, for the year 1866, from the payment of interest on State tax levied on said district for said year 1866.

Which was read a second time.

Mr. Merrick, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported favorably, the Senate bill, entitled an Act to refund Alexander Brown & Sons, of the city of Baltimore, Agent of Brown, Shipley & Co., of London, the sum of fifty-eight pounds, sixteen shillings and ten pence, in gold, amounting in currency to four hundred dollars and ninety cents, for money erroneously paid by them into the Treasury on or about the 1st of July, 1867.

Which was read a second time.

Mr. Crawford, Chairman of a Select Committee, reported favorably, a bill entitled, an Act to extend the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace for Wicomico county, to cases of assault and battery.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Harris, Chairman of a Select Committee, reported favorably, a bill entitled an Act to authorize the Governor to appoint an additional Justice of the Peace for election district No. 11, in Frederick county.

Which was read a first time.

The bill entitled an Act, granting the assent of the General Assembly of Maryland to a bequest of a legacy made in last will and testament of Josias Ramsey, late of Cecil county, deceased, to the Trustees of the Methodist Protestant Church at New Leeds, in Cecil county,

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

The bill, entitled, an Act to amend section 10 of Article 51, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled, "Justices of the Peace,"

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

The bill entitled an Act to repeal chapter 295, Act of Assembly 1868, entitled "An Act to amend Article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title 'Guano,'" by adding thereto the following section relating to the inspection of all fertilizers other than guano, and to substitute the following in lieu thereof,

Being upon a second reading,