had been referred the House bill, entitled an Act to amend an Act, passed January session, 1868, chapter 161, entitled an Act to incorporate the Frederick and Emmittsburg Railroad Company, extending said road, and the time for commencement and completion of the same, reported it without amendment.

Said bill was then read the second time.

Mr. Earle, from the Committee on Finance, to whom leave had been granted, reported a bill entitled an Act to repeal section 10, of Article 97, of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to State Wharfinger and Wharves, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Earle; from the Committee on Finance, to whom leave had been granted, reported a bill entitled an Act to amend and explain the Act passed at the January session, 1867, chapter 255, entitled an Act to authorize the payment to the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company, and the Dorchester and Delaware Railroad Company, the sum of thirteen thousand dollars, applied to the Choptank and Mispillion Railroad Company, by the Act of 1860, chapter 303, according to the provisions of section 3, of said Act.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Earle, from the Committee on Finance, to whom leave had been granted, reported unfavorably a bill entitled an Act to repeal chapter 259, of the law passed at the January session, 1868, of the General Assembly, relating to Notaries Public, and to add the following as a substitute therefor.

And the report was adopted.

Mr. Grove, from the Select Committee to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to repeal section 204, of Article 21, of the Public Local Laws for Washington county, relating to Justices of the Peace and Constables in Washington county, and to re-enact as amended, reported it without amendment.

Said bill was then read the second time.

Mr. Grove, from the Select Committee, to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to repeal an Act, entitled an Act to provide for the better protection of Partridges in Washington county, passed at the January session, 1868, chapter 21, and re-enact the same with amendments, reported it without amendment.

Said bill was then read the second time.