

to introduce a bill to provide for the compensation of the Crier of the Circuit Court of Calvert county.

On motion by Mr. Fields, it was

Ordered, That the Adjutant General be requested to report to the Senate, as soon as conveniently may be, the number of arms belonging to the State, and where the same are deposited, the description of the arms, and the expense of storage of said arms.

Which was adopted.

On motion by Mr. Stephenson, it was

Ordered, That there shall be no smoking of tobacco in the Senate Chamber or the ante-room adjoining the same, during the sessions of the Senate or during its daily adjournments; and the Sergeant-at-Arms, and all other officers of the Senate, are hereby directed and required to enforce this order strictly.

Which was adopted.

On motion by Mr. Miller,

Leave was granted to Senators Miller, Browne and Jump to report a bill to repeal the Act of 1868, chapter 234, relating to West Nottingham Academy, in Cecil county.

On motion by Mr. Miller,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to report a bill requiring "Commercial Agencies" and their agents in this State, to take out a license.

On motion by Mr. Jump,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to report a bill to refund Samuel S. Yeo, late Collector of State and county taxes in Chappel district, Talbot county, a sum of money overpaid into the State Treasury.

On motion by Mr. Stephenson,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Agriculture to introduce a bill to repeal section 17, of Article 9, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Weights and Measures," and re-enact the same with amendments.

On motion by Mr. Kimmel,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill entitled an Act to amend the charter of the Western Maryland Railroad Company, by increasing the number of Directors in said Company, and authorize the appointment of six Directors by the Mayor and City Council