granted, reported a bill entitled an Act to refund to Francis P. Eager, of the City of Baltimore, the sum of two hundred and eighty-eight dollars and eighty cents, (\$288.80,) erroneously paid into the Treasury.

Which was read the first time,

Mr. Miller, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to add to Article 28, of the Code of Public General Laws, an additional section providing for the more effectual drainage of lands, reported it without amendment,

Said bill was then read the second time.

Also, from the same Committee, to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to remove the disabilities of all persons which had been incurred under the 41st section of Article 3 of the Constitution, and to restore them to the full privileges of citizens, reported it without amendments.

Said bill was then read the second time.

Also, from the same Committee, to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to prevent the injury or destruction of baggage, reported it without amendment,

Said bill was then read the second time.

Mr. Miller, from the Select Committee to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act for the better protection of the bridge over the Sassafras river, from Fredericktown, in Cecil county, to Georgetown, in Kent county, reported it without amendment.

Said bill was then read the second time.

Mr. Earle, from the Select Committee to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to provide for the protection of sheep in Queen Anne's, Dorchester and Somerset counties, and for reimbursing owners of sheep for damages sustained by them in the killing or injuring of sheep by dogs, reported it without amendment.

Said bill was then read the second time.

Mr. Stephenson, from the Select Committee to whom the leave was granted, reported a bill entitled an Act for the better protection of the land bordering upon the Chesapeake bay and its tributaries.

Which was read the first time and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Biggs, from the Select Committee to whom was referred House bill entitled an Act to repeal section 187, of Article 11, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Frederick county relating to the number of Justices of the Peace and Constables, and to amend and re-enact said sections as follows.