

A bill entitled an Act to facilitate the examination of titles to lands in Prince George's county.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Prince George's delegation.

Also,

A bill entitled an Act to prevent incompetent persons from conducting the business of Druggist or Apothecary in the City of Baltimore.

Which was read a first time and referred to Messrs. McLane, Webb and Hoblitzell.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, (the rules being suspended,)

The vote by which the petitions praying the passage of a law to preclude incompetent persons from engaging in the Apothecary business were ordered to be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means,

Was reconsidered.

The question then recurring upon the reference of the same,

On motion of Mr. Merrick,

Said petitions were then referred to the Select Committee appointed on that subject.

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following bill :

A bill entitled an Act to direct the Attorney General of this State to cause the State of Maryland to be, by proper proceedings, made a party in a cause now pending in the Circuit Court of Baltimore city, entitled the Commonwealth of Virginia versus the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company and others, and to appear for this State in said cause, and on its behalf to defend the same.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The bill entitled an Act for the better protection of birds in Allegany county,

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

The bill entitled an Act to authorize the Commissioners of Baltimore county to appoint an additional Constable for district No. 5, in said county,

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

The bill entitled an Act to extend the powers of the Register of Wills of Worcester county,