

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Also, returned,

The Senate bill, entitled an Act to provide for the repair and improvement of the public roads in Calvert county.

Endorsed, "Passed by yeas and nays with proposed amendment."

#### AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Strike out the words, "The Court-house door, in line 6, of section 3, of said bill," and insert the words "Some central place in each Election District."

On motion by Mr. Williams,

The amendment was concurred in.

The bill, as amended, was then passed by yeas and nays as follows :

#### AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,  
Blake,  
Compton,  
Crawford,  
Claggett,  
Denson,  
Earle,  
Fields,  
Henry,  
Longwell,

Miller,  
Stephenson,  
Spates,  
Sellman,  
Spencer,  
Steiner,  
Timmons,  
Wilson,  
Williams—19.

#### NEGATIVE—None.

On motion by Mr. Williams,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Sellman until Tuesday next.

Mr. Fields, from a Select Committee, to which had been referred House bill, entitled an Act to exempt Caroline and Kent county from the operations of chapter 231 of the Public Local Laws, passed at January Session, 1870, relating to wild fowl, reported favorably thereon.

On motion by Mr. Fields,

The rules were suspended, as required by section 27, Article III. of the Constitution, so as to give to said bill a second reading this day, as follows :

#### AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,  
Blake,  
Compton,

Miller,  
Stephenson,  
Spates,