A bill, entitled an Act to repeal section 10, of Article XXXVII. of the Public General Laws, relating to the pay of witnesses attending courts in this State.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Tuck, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which had been committed

The Senate bill, entitled an Act to add an additional section to Article XVI. of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Chancery," sub-title "Trustees," to follow section 139 of said Article,

Reported said bill with the following amendments:

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

- 1. Add to the section: "And be committed to the county jail until the payment of the fine. The said fine shall be deposited in the court having jurisdiction of the subject matter of said trust, to be disposed of, in the place of the property so sold or removed, according to the provisions of said deed, on proper proceedings being instituted at the instance of any of the persons interested in the purposes of said trust; and no title shall pass under sales made before filing and approval, but all such sales shall be void. It shall be the duty of the clerks in whose offices such bonds are required to be filed and recorded, to record all trustees' bonds, including the bonds of the sale of estates or property by Courts of Equity, in a book kept for that purpose, and certified copies of such bonds shall be evidence in any of the courts of this State."
- 2. "Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the day of its passage."
- 3. Amend the title: "An Act to amend and re-enact section 139, of Article XVI. of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Chancery," relating to the bonds of trustees."

Which were severally read and adopted.

Said bill, as amended, was then read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Also, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which leave had been granted, reported

A bill, entitled an Act to repeal, amend and re-enact section 6, of Article LXXIX., of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Release and Receipts."

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Carroll, from the Committee on Finance, to which had been referred