The Senate bill entitled "An Act to repeal sections 1 and 7, of Article XXXVI. of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'estrays and vessels adrift' and to re-enact the same with amendments."

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Stevens, from the Committee on Labor and Agriculture reported favorably

The Senate bill entitled "An Act to encourage Immigration to the State of Maryland."

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Stevens, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings reported favorably

The Senate bill entitled "An Act to authorize the State Line and Juniata, now Baltimore, Philadelaphia and New York Road Company to construct and operate their rail road within the limits of this State,"

Which was read the first time.

The Senate bill entitled "An Act to amend and re-enact setion 3 of Article V. of she Code of Public General Laws title 'Appeals,'"

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

Mr. Brattan submitted the following

### JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners heretofore appointed by the States of Virginia and Maryland to adjust the boundary line between said States, have submitted to their respective Ligislatures their final report setting forth the propositions for adjustment reciprocally submitted and declined, and finally their inability to agree upon a boundary line to be jointly recommended for adoption by the Legislature, of the two States; and

*Whereas*, the General Assembly of Maryland, upon consideration of the several propositions of boundary, which have been suggested, finding the present controversy is imposed with justice and fairness of the following line of boundary, to wit: The boundary line from Smith's Point to be a right line across the Chesepeake Bay to the centre of Cedar Straits upon the Tangier Sound, near the south end of Watkins' Point; thence by a right line in a south-easterly direction to the channol of Pocomoke Bay or River mouth to Cedar Straits; thence up, by and with the channel of said Pocomoke Bay and River, to a point therein opposite to the