In line 3, of section 3, strike out the words "Herring Bay" and "St. Mary's River."

In line 1, of section 4, strike out the work "fifteen"

and insert the words "twenty-five."

In line 4, of section 4, strike out the word "three" and insert "five."

Which were read.

On motion of Mr. Miles,

Said bill was recommitted to the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries.

House bill entitled an Act to incorporate the town of Lonaconing, in Allegany county.

Mr. Young submitted the following proposed amendment:

## AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Strike out section 16 and insert the following in lieu, thereof:

Sec. 16. And be it enacted, That they may from time to time cause an assessment to be made of all the property, real and personal, in the town, by three persons appointed by them, and may levy a tax thereon for general purposes not exceeding in any one year more than forty cents, nor less than twenty-five cents, and before the tax rate shall be increased beyond the sum of twenty-five cents on each one hundred dollars of assessable property, the question of the increase and the amount thereof shall be submitted to he voters of said town, who may at a general corporation or at a special election to be held after ten days' notice, change the maximum rate of taxation, at no time, however, to exceed forty cents on each one hundred dollars of assessable property.

Which was adopted.

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

House bill entitled an act to change the name of the Loan and Security Company of Anne Arundel county, and to declare and enlarge the powers of such corporation.

House bill entitled an Act to enable the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to appropriate a sum of money annually for the relief of the Simmons Home for Friendless Children of Baltimore county.