

By Mr. Pearre,

Senate bill entitled an Act to authorize the Governor to employ counsel to assist the Attorney General in the case of Maryland against West Virginia for settlement of the disputed boundary line between said States, and appropriating a sum of money for the payment of the retaining fee of such counsel.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Hayes, the following bills:

Senate bill entitled an Act providing that no corporation shall be dissolved by decree of any court of this State until all taxes due the State shall be fully paid or adjusted.

Senate bill entitled an Act providing that the direct war tax levied by the United States on the State of Maryland and paid by the State of Maryland to the United States, and recently refunded by the United States to the State of Maryland, shall be credited to the Defense Redemption Loan of the State of Maryland and invested for said loan in such securities as are provided by law for the investment of the securities of the Sinking Fund.

Which were read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 149. of Article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Coroner's Inquest and Dead Bodies," as re-enacted by chapter 207, of the Acts of 1890.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Baltimore City Senators

By Mr. Robinson,

Senate bill entitled an Act for the relief of the sureties upon the official bonds of Stevenson Archer, late Treasurer of Maryland.

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hayes, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably, the following bills: