Also favorably,

Senate bill, File No. 166, entitled "An Act to give the sanction and authority of the General Assembly of Maryland to conveyance of lands heretofore made valid subsequent sales and conveyances of parts of said lands made by said commissioners."

Which was read the second time.

Also favorably,

Senate bill, File No. 284, entitled "An Act to amend Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Crimes and Punishments,' by adding certain sections thereto to follow section 263 C, and to be known as 'Sections 263 D, 263 E, 263 F, 263 G and 263 H,' and to regulate the issue and redemption of trading stamps or other similar devices."

Which was read the second time.

Also.

Petition of Wm. T. Burroughs and 23 other citizens of St. Mary's county, asking that such laws be enacted as will give magistrates concurrent jurisdiction with Circuit Courts.

Considered by the Judiciary Committee, and it is unanimously of the opinion that the Justices of the Peace jurisdiction should not extend to the extent prayed for in said petition.

On motion of Mr. Goslin, At 2.30 o'clock, p. m.,

The House took a recess until 4 o'clock, p. m.

## AFTERNOON SESSION.

THURSDAY, March 24th, 1904.

The House resumed business at 4 o'clock, p. m.

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Speaker, Buckler, Wilkinson, Atkinson,