

acquired by said corporation in Baltimore city, formerly county."

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

By Mr. Hill,

A bill entitled "An Act for the improvement of the public highways of the State and to provide the means therefore, and to require the commissioners created by an Act of the General Assembly of 1896, chapter 51, to perform certain additional duties."

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hiteshew,

A bill entitled "An Act to refund to Maria Lee Smith, a sum of money paid in error to the State Treasurer."

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Murphy, of Baltimore city,

A bill entitled "An Act to sanction the devise of Nancy Addison of Baltimore city, to the Oblate Sisters of Province, of the city of Baltimore, a religious corporation."

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

By Mr. Fuss,

A bill entitled "An Act to declare the sanction and consent of the General Assembly of Maryland, to certain grants and deeds made by various persons in the State of Maryland, to and for the use and benefit of sundry religious corporations herein named."

Which was read a first time, and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Kirbin,

A bill entitled "An Act to enable the qualified voters of the second election district of Worcester county to determine by ballot whether spirituous, fermented or intoxicating liquors, or Alcoholic Bitters shall be sold in said district."

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