the sale thereof may be made in case the majority of the voters of said town shall determine said question in the affirmative."

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Commtttee on Temperance.

By Mr. Hill,

A bill entitled "An Act to add an additional section to Article 54 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title 'Land Office,' sub-title 'Commissioner of the Land Office, his Powers and Duties,' to be designated as 'Section 2 A,' providing for the appointment of an index clerk of the Prerogative Court and High Court of Chancery Records."

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

By Mr. Harrison,

A bill entitled "An Act to allow the legal and qualified voters of Brunswick, in Frederick county, Maryland, to decide by ballot whether or not town coupon bonds not exceeding the sum of ten thousand dollars, shall be issued by the Mayor and Council of Brunswick, in Frederick county, Maryland, for the purpose of improving the streets and alleys of said town."

Which was read the first time and referred to the Frederick delegation.

By Mr. Baker,

A bill entitled "An Act to repeal sections 182 D, 182 E, 182 F, 182 G and 182 H, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title 'Washington County,' sub-title 'Hagerstown,' as enacted by chapter 171 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, at the January session of the year 1896, and to re-enact with amendments, said section 182 D, so as to read, hereinafter set forth, providing for the payment by the Mayor and Council of Hagerstown of its portion of the cost of the paving of any street, lane or alley, or part thereof."

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Washington delegation.