

On motion of Mr. Orem, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Morrison be excused from attendance at to-day's session on account of important business.

On motion of Mr. Bennett, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Hearn and Mr. Messick be excused from attendance of to-day's session on account of business.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Wells,

A bill entitled "An Act to regulate the rates of fare of the city and suburban railway so far as it operates its electric passenger cars within Prince George's county, Maryland, the issuing of tickets, heating of cars and for other purposes."

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

By Mr. Lock,

A bill entitled "An Act to add an additional section to Article 53 of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Landlord and Tenant,' sub-title 'Distress for Rent,' to be known as 'Section 26.'"

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

By Mr. Stump,

A bill entitled "An Act to amend Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title 'Allegany County,' sub-title 'County Commissioners,' by adding thereto a section, to be designated as 'Section 37 A,' authorizing and directing the County Commissioners of Allegany county, to annually levy to the incorporated towns in said county the sum of ten thousand dollars."

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

By Mr. Evans,

A bill entitled "An Act to refund to John Murphy and Company a sum of money paid by them as taxes for the year 1899."

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