On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to amend the 44th Section of the 24th Article, of the Code of Public-General Laws of the State, entitled "Conveyancing," subtitle "Bills of Sale."

On motion by Mr. Sulivane,

Leave was granted to Senators Sulivane, Stump and Humphreys, to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to protect the rights of property in Dorchester County.

On motion by Mr. Sulivane,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to repeal Section 89, of Article 16, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Chancery," sub-title "Non-Residents," as enacted by the Act passed at January Session, 1868, Chapter 200, and to re-enact the same so as to read as follows.

The Hon. R. C. Hollyday, Secretary of State, appeared and delivered a communication from the Executive, endorsed "Executive Business."

On motion by Mr. Combs, of Allegany,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to incorporate the town of Lonaconing, in Allegany County.

Mr. Franklin, from the Committee on Elections, submitted the following REPORT.

The undersigned Committee on Elections to examine and report upon the election and qualification of the members of the Senate of Maryland, beg leave to report that they have discharged the duty assigned to them by examining the returns of the election held on the 6th day of November, in the year 1877, in the several counties of the State, and in the Second Legislative District of Baltimore City, and have ascertained and report that the following Senators have been duly elected:

Allegany County, John S. Combs.

Baltimore City-2nd Legislative Dist.-Robert M. McLane.

Caroline County, Thomas F. Garey.

Cecil County, John M. Miller.

Calvert County, Joseph A. Wilson.