

sinking fund for the payment of the bonded debt of Dorchester County.

On motion by Mr. Miller,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to repeal Section 45, of Article 51, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Justices of the Peace," sub-title "Supersedeas and Execution," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

On motion by Mr. Miller,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to repeal Section 16, of Article 29, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Courts," and sub-title "Judgments," as amended by the Act of the General Assembly of 1862, Chapter 262, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Mr. McLane, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled an Act to adjust and settle finally by an agreement, all pending controversies between the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company and the State of Maryland by subjecting the franchises and property of said company within this State to taxation for State purposes to a certain extent, and by providing for the payment of a certain indebtedness of the said Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company to the said State, and for the establishment by contract of certain rates of toll and transportation for coal, lumber, pig-iron, ores of all kind and stone transported by the said Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company to the basins of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, at or near Cumberland, and by providing on certain conditions, for the release of the right of the State to any proportion of the monies received by the said company for the transportation of passengers on its railroad between Baltimore and Washington, otherwise than by way of dividends upon its stock in the Washington Branch Railroad of said company.

Which was read the first time, ordered to be printed, and made the order of the day, for Tuesday, the 12th inst., at 1 o'clock.

Mr. Joyce, from the Committee on Militia, reported favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to repeal sub-Sections 15 and 27, of Chapter 182, of the Acts of the General Assembly, passed at the January Session, 1870, entitled an Act to repeal the