

Also, delivered

House bill entitled an Act to repeal an Act passed at the Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, in 1876, Chapter 252, entitled an Act to repeal an Act passed at the Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, 1874, Chapter 421, regulating fishing in the waters of Cecil and Harford Counties, and to substitute the following in lieu thereof.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on the Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries.

Also, returned

Senate bill entitled an Act to prohibit the taking and catching of oysters, for sale in certain waters in Calvert County.

Endorsed: "Passed by yeas and nays."

The President announced the order of the day to be

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal Chapter 377, of the Acts of 1872, entitled an Act to repeal an Act of 1870, Chapter 311, entitled an Act to repeal an Act of 1868, Chapter 407, entitled "Public Education," providing a general system of Free Public Schools for the State of Maryland, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, and to re-enact the same with amendments, and to repeal Chapter 473, of the Acts of 1874, amendatory of the Acts of 1872, Chapter 377, and to re-enact the said two Acts of 1872, Chapter 377, and the Act of 1874, Chapter 473, with amendments, so as to read as follows:

Said bill being upon its second reading,

Mr. Sulivane submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Section 3, line 2, after the word "Public," insert the word "General."

Which was adopted.

Mr. Stump submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Add to Section 2, Chapter 2, line 19, after the words "at all times," "The Governor of the State shall fill any vacancy in said Board from any cause, by appointment from the Judicial Circuit, when such vacancy exists, until the next Congressional Election."

Which was adopted.