

On motion by Mr. Sulivane,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to repeal the Act passed at January Session 1874, Chapter 453, entitled an Act to enable the voters of Queen Anne's, Caroline, Dorchester and Talbot Counties to determine by ballot whether spirituous or fermented liquors shall be sold in said Counties, or in any Election Districts thereof, or a license granted for the sale of the same, and all subsequent proceedings thereon, in so far as the same relates to Dorchester County.

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

On motion by Mr. Sulivane,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to prohibit the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors in certain Election Districts of Dorchester County, with certain specified exceptions.

On motion by Mr. Stump,

Leave was granted to Senators Stump, Miller and Freeman to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to repeal Section 3, of Article 41, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Fish and Fisheries," and re-enact the same with amendments, so as to read as follows.

On motion by Mr. Bannon,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance, to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to use and regulate the use of the Moffit Bell Punch, now so successfully used to pay the Virginia State debt.

On motion by Mr. McLane,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance, to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to pay Walter B. Brooks, assignee in bankruptcy of Sterling, Ahrens & Co., on the rent of certain warehouses in the City of Baltimore, used as State Tobacco Warehouses.

Mr. Peter, from a Select Committee, reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled an Act to create a new election district in Montgomery County, to be known as Darnestown District, number six, or the Sixth Election District of Montgomery County.

Which was read the first time.