Senate bill entitled an Act to provide for the general valuation and assessment of property in this State.

Pending the consideration of said bill,

Mr. Lee, (by unanimous consent,) reported favorably from the Select Committee,

Senate bill entitled an Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Carroll county to repair and build an addition to the Court-house in said county and to borrow money for that purpose, to issue bonds for the payment of the same, and to levy taxes on the assessable property in said county to redeem said bonds and to pay the interest thereon.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Getty, from the Committee on Finance, (by unanimous consent,) reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled an Act to compensate the Auditor of the Superior Court of Baltimore City and witnesses in the case of the State of Maryland against the city of Baltimore, for adjusting and taking testimony in the same.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Lawrence, (by unanimous consent,) reported favorably from Select Committee,

House bill entitled an Act to require the County Commissioners of St. Mary's county, to report annually to the Grand Jury of the September term of the Circuit Court for said county, a statement of the expenses of the county,

Being upon its second reading,

On motion by Mr. Lawrence,

Was referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Mr. Steiner, from the Select Committee, (by unanimous consent,) reported favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Frederick county, to issue additional bonds for the payment of expenses incurred, and to be incurred, in erecting a new jail for Frederick county, and to collect taxes for the payment of such bonds, and the interest thereon.

Which was read the second time.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the unfinished business.

Mr. Dennis submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Add to 23rd Section the following:

"And in addition to the penalties provided for any violation of the provisions of this Act, if any owner or holder of any bill, bond, promissory note or other evidence of debt,