

Mr. Townsend moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, moved as a substitute, that the bill be laid on the table;

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Stone,

Ordered, That the Secretary and Engrossing Clerk be allowed mileage and per diem for the time they may be detained at the close of the present session.

Mr. McKaig, from a select committee, reported the following bill :

A bill, entitled, An act to authorize the Courts of Equity of this State to direct the deposit of trust funds in the banks of this State;

Which was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Dashiell,

Ordered, That the Committee on Federal Relations be requested to co-operate with that Committee of the House, and make a joint report on the memorial of the Police Commissioners of Baltimore, which was referred to them.

A bill, entitled, An act refunding to Samuel T. Hopkins and John Donnovan, certain taxes erroneously paid by them into the Treasury,

Was taken up, read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported favorably on the following bills:

A bill, entitled, An act to repeal the 890th section of the 4th Article of the Code of Public Local Laws, giving certain powers to single justices of the peace in the city of Baltimore, in relation to landlords and tenants, and to substitute therefor a section increasing the power of such justices in the premises;

Which was read the second time.

A bill, entitled, An act to repeal sections 880 and 881 of the 4th Article of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to the collection of taxes and the limitation of time therefor, and to substitute for said sections the following sections, extending the time of such limitations ———;

Which was read the second time.