

On Senator Williams' second order the committee report favorably so that Section 6 of Rule 21, as amended, will read:

"6. When a Bill or Joint Resolution is reported with amendments, the amendments as proposed shall be typewritten on separate paper, attached to the original Bill or Joint Resolution and three copies of said amendment shall be furnished for the use of the desk clerks. When said amendment is proposed from the floor, two copies of said amendment shall be provided; and all orders that require a reference to a committee shall also be offered in triplicate." [*Which favorable report was adopted.*]

On Senator Williams' order of February 1, 1916, the committee report favorably as follows, and offer it as an amendment to Rule 29. At the end of Rule 29 begin a new paragraph as follows:

"After a Bill has been journalized the first time it shall in future Journal references be simply referred to by number and a short descriptive title (as in the calendar), and the number shall be printed in capital letters. All amendments including those which lie over, or on which action is deferred, may be printed but once, and subsequent reference of Journal to same may be as follows: 'With amendments as printed in Senate Journal of (blank date).'" [*Which favorable report was adopted.*]

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Williams, from Select Committee, reported Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An Act to prohibit any minister of the Gospel or other person in Cecil county who is now or may hereafter be authorized under the laws of Maryland to perform the marriage ceremony to give, directly, or indirectly, to any person any fee as an inducement to bring any persons contemplating marriage to him for the purpose of performing the marriage ceremony," with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings. [*Which was so referred.*]

The President distributed the following message from the House of Delegates, being House Bill No. 29, entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 6 and 10 of Chapter 172 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1914 (said sections originally enacted by Chapter 210 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1912),