

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By the President, by request: Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Article 15, title 'Miscellaneous,' of the Constitution of this State, and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.*]

By Mr. Johnson: Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "An Act to appropriate a sum of money to the State Roads Commission for the purpose of completing the building of the highway through the village of Elkridge, under the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad grade-crossing." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.*]

By Mr. Duvall: Senate Bill No. 261, entitled "An Act to authorize and direct the State Roads Commission to construct an improved, modern road from the State road at Camp Parole, Anne Arundel county, Maryland, to the State road at Bladensburg, Prince George's county, Maryland, along the lines of the Old Stage road from Annapolis to Washington, District of Columbia, which road was laid out in 1796, so as to connect Annapolis, Maryland, and Washington city, District of Columbia, by a direct, improved, modern road, and to provide for a bond issue to pay for the construction of said road by the State of Maryland, providing for the repair and upkeep of said road after its construction and to be known as the National Defense Highway." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.*]

By Mr. Jones: Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An Act to add two new sections to Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Crimes and Punishments,' sub-title 'Fraud Hospitals,' to follow Section 134 and to be known as Sections 134-A and 134-B." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.*]

By Mr. Archer: Senate Bill No. 263, entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 234 of Article 81 of Bagby's Annotated Code of Public General Laws, title 'Revenue and Taxes,' sub-title 'State Tax Commission,' as the same was enacted by Chapter 841 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland at its Session of 1914." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.*]

By Mr. Jones: Senate Bill No. 264, entitled "An Act to repeal Section 50, Article 43 of the Code of Public General