

of said Article, to be known respectively as Sections 17-A and 17-B, and to provide for the presence at hearings under habeas corpus of the State's Attorney of the county or city from which the person confined was committed, and for the correction of errors, omissions or irregularities appearing on the face of commitments." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.*]

By Mr. Johnson: Senate Bill No. 570, entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 120 and 143 of Article 81 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title 'Revenue and Taxes,' sub-title 'Collateral Inheritance Tax,' to provide for the taxation of estates passing to lineal descendants and to change the rate of the Collateral Inheritance Tax." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.*]

By the President: Senate Bill No. 571, entitled "An Act to repeal Sections 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872 and 873 of Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, as enacted by Chapter 123 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1898, title 'City of Baltimore,' sub-title 'Vagrants, Paupers, Beggars, Vagabonds and Disorderly Persons' and to enact a new section in lieu of Section 865 of said Article 4, making it a misdemeanor for any person to demand or accept any remuneration or gratuity for forecasting or foretelling or pretending to forecast or foretell the future of another by certain means and providing a penalty therefor; to enact new sections in lieu of Sections 868, 869, 870, 871 and 873 of said Article 4; to re-enact, with amendments, Section 866 of said Article 4, so as to make it a misdemeanor for any female person to solicit or procure or attempt to solicit or procure or walk the streets of said city for the purpose of soliciting or procuring any male person or persons to engage in sexual intercourse or in any other immoral practice with her or any other person for compensation or reward and otherwise to amend said Section 866; to re-enact, with amendments, Section 867 of said Article 4 and to re-enact Section 871 as Section 872 of said Article 4." [*Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.*]

By Mr. Bennett: Senate Bill No. 572, entitled "An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Wicomico county, State of Maryland, to issue bonds for the purpose of making additions and improvements to the public school buildings