

Which was read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Daniel Myers, Levin Wheatley, and Edwin J. Wheatley, free negroes of the city of Baltimore.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Daniel, from a select committee, reported a bill entitled, an act to amend the act entitled, an act to establish a House of Refuge for juvenile delinquents and the supplements thereto, and to authorise the appointment of managers on the part of the State in said House, and to give to the Judges of the Circuit Courts for the several counties of this State the power to order minors to be removed to, and confined in the House of Refuge; and to appropriate for the aid and benefit and support of the House of Refuge, the annual sum of ten thousand dollars for five successive years;

Which was read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act for the releasing of arrearages on account of former loans to the Maryland Penitentiary;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Rowles from a Select Committee reported a bill entitled, an act to allow E. A. Talbott, late sheriff of Howard county, further time to complete his collections;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Toadvine from a Select Committee, reported a bill entitled, an act granting the leave of the Legislature to a devise in the will of William H. Dulaney, late of Somerset county, deceased, of a house and lot in the town of Salisbury, to the Trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Church of said town;

Which was read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act making valid a deed of manumission from a certain Harry Johnson, late of Somerset county, deceased, to his slaves Dennis, Jane, and Charlotte;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Brengle, reported a bill entitled, an act to authorise Arthur Thomas Weld, of Allegany county, to take, hold and dispose of real estate for his own use in the State of Maryland;

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.