

and of Jacob Schauforbler and Arnold Scheidling, reported that the said committee had had the same under consideration, and had instructed him to ask to be discharged therefrom, and that the same may be referred to the committee on Claims ;

Which was read and concurred in, and the memorials accordingly referred.

Mr. Sutton of Saint Mary's, presented the petition of Joseph Harris, clerk of Saint Mary's county court, praying an allowance of fees accruing in the case of the State against William Reeder and his sureties ;

And the petition of James Biscoe of Baltimore city, praying an allowance as witness for the State against William Reeder, in Saint Mary's county court ;

Severally read and referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Presstman, chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act authorising and empowering Walter W. Nalley of Washington county, to sell and convey certain real estate therein mentioned, reported unfavorably thereon ;

Read the first and by special order the second time, concurred in, and the said bill accordingly rejected.

Also, as chairman of the same committee, to which was referred the bill entitled, an act supplemental to an act entitled, an act respecting the equity jurisdiction of county courts, reported favorably thereon ;

Read the second time by special order and will pass.

Mr. Hammond, from the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, reported a bill entitled, an act regulating writs of error and granting appeals to the Court of Appeals ;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

Mr. Gott, from the select committee to which was referred the bill from the Senate entitled, an act to allow Henry Harding of Montgomery county, late sheriff and collector, further time to complete his collections, reported favorably thereon ;

Read the second time by special order and will pass.

Mr. Buchanan from the select committee on that subject, reported a bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the collector of the direct tax in Allegany county ;

Read the first and by special order the second time, and will pass.

Mr. Geyer from the select committee on that subject, reported a bill entitled, an act to repair injuries done by rail road engines and carriages on the several rail roads of this State ;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

Mr. Graves, from the select committee to which was referred the petition of Wolf Crotoschen, asking to be paid monies originally paid by him, reported that the said committee had had the same under consideration, and had instructed him to ask to be discharged therefrom, and that the same might be referred to the committee on Claims ;