

of taxes overpaid into the Treasury by said Collector, as appears by certificate of the Comptroller.

On motion of Mr. Bartell,

Leave was granted a select committee of five to report a bill to encourage immigration.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Bartell, Tarr, Willis, Handy and King said committee.

On motion of Mr. Soper,

Leave was granted the committee on the Judiciary to report a bill to regulate the fees of Justices of the Peace of the city of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. Hambleton,

Leave was granted a select committee of seven to report a bill to amend and add to article seventy-one of the Code of Public General Laws in relation to oysters.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Hambleton, McCullough, Malone, Smith, of Dorchester, Cook, Fooks and Tull said committee.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Allegany,

Leave was granted the committee on the Judiciary to report a bill for a uniform system of charges in the offices of Registers of Wills in the counties of this State and the city of Baltimore, and for the collection thereof. *Sec. 44, Art. 3.*

Also, leave was granted the committee on Roads and Highways to report a bill for the appointment of Road Supervisors in each county by the County Commissioners, as required by the Constitution.

On motion of Mr. Slothower,

Leave was granted the committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to incorporate the Powhatan Manufacturing Company of Baltimore county.

Also, to report a bill to incorporate the Pocahontas Manufacturing Company of Baltimore county.

Also, to report a bill to amend the Charter of the Franklin and Powhatan Rail Road Company.

Mr. Jamieson, from a select committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, An Act to allow mileage to the Grand and Petit Jurors and sundry officers of the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county. ;

Which was read the first time.