

A bill entitled, an Act to add a new section to the 29th Article of the Code of Public General Laws entitled, "Courts," relative to the pay of witnesses.

A bill entitled, an Act an additional section to the 28th Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the pay of County Commissioners, and to repeal all the sections of the several Articles of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to the pay of County Commissioners;

Which were read the first time.

The bill entitled, an Act to amend the first section of an Act passed January Session, 1864, relating to the inspection of fire-wood in Baltimore county ;

Was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Hoffman, from a Select committee, reported favorably a bill entitled, an Act to pay the Sheriff of Baltimore county, a sum of money ;

Which was read the first time.

The bill entitled, an Act to appropriate a sum of money to pay the claims of John Sullivan, J. E. and G. Munroe, H. S. Shryock, George M. Taylor, John Murphy and Co., Thomas Alexander and James Revell, Wm. Price, James Revell;

Was taken up for consideration on its second reading.

Mr. Rinehart submitted the following amendment :

Section 1, line 10, strike out all after the word "library," to the end of line 11;

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The bill having been read the second time was ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The bill entitled, an Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's county to levy a sum of money for the purpose of repairing and raising the causeway at Crumpton, on Chester river,

Was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Jones, from the committee on Corporations, reported favorably a bill entitled, an Act to incorporate the Composite Fertilizing Company of the city of Baltimore,

Which was read the first time.

Also, reported back to the House the bill entitled, an Act to repeal sections 41, 43, and 67, of article 2 of the Code of