

Mr. Tome, from the committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill in favor of J. S. Cranford and others,

Reported it without amendment; and

It was read the second time.

Mr. Maund, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was referred the bill relating to Special Judges;

Reported it with the following amendments:

Amend section seventy-three by inserting the word "any," at the end of the 21st line of said section after the word "in;"

Amend section seventy-four by inserting the word "immediately," in the fifty-first line thereof between the words "made" and "whenever;"

Amend section seventy-seven by striking out in the ninety-second and ninety-third lines thereof the words "which by the rules thereof are ready for trial, or any cause or causes, civil or criminal," and inserting in lieu thereof the following words, "whether civil or criminal, which by the rules thereof are or may be ready for trial at such term;"

Which were read and adopted, and

The bill was read the second time.

Mr. Tome, from the committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill in favor of veteran volunteers of Allegany county,

Reported it without amendment, and

It was read the second time.

Mr. Carroll, from the committee on Corporations, reported a bill incorporating the Pocomoke Navigation company;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Maund, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported a bill amending the Code of General Laws, entitled, evidence;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Davis, of Caroline, reported a bill relating to Dover Bridge between Caroline and Talbot counties;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Ohr reported a bill incorporating the Meadow Glade Coal Oil company of Allegany county;

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on Internal Improvements.