Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Finance.

A bill entitled, An act to authorize and empower Gustavus A. T. Wright, collector of school tax in district No. 32, of Queen Anne's county, to complete his collections;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to Messrs. Harrison, Waters and Townsend.

A bill entitled, An act to repeal the 107 and 108th sections of the 1st article of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to the superintendent of the national road in Allegany county, and to re-enact the same with amendments thereto;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Judicial Proceedings.

A bill entitled, An act to amend the 22d article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to Comptroller, by adding thereto the following section, relating to the employment of counsel in suits brought in the name of the State;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Finance.

A bill entitled, An act to amend the 60th section of the 13th article of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to the primary schools of Howard county;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to Messrs. Watkins, Lynch and Waters.

A bill entitled, An act for the relief of the sureties on the official bonds of William A. Quynn, late collector of the 3d collection district of Prince George's county;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to Messrs. Bayne, Harrison and Whitaker.

A bill entitled, An act to amend sections 58, 61, 62 and 68 of article 5 of the Code of Public Local Laws for Calvert county, relating to the Public schools of said county;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to Messrs. Briscoe, Billingsley and Bayne.

A bill entitled, An act appropriating a sum of money in payment for legal services rendered by Thomas Donaldson under the appointment of the Governor;

A bill entitled, An act to appoint and authorize certain persons to purchase real estate in Kent county, from Samuel E. Baker of said county, to be held in trust for the Methodist Episcopal Church on Kent circuit, for the purpose of holding camp-meetings or other meetings on the same, Sunday school festivals;