Mr. Blackiston, from the committee on Finance, reported a bill entitled, An act to compensate E F. Chambers for professional services in the Superior Court of Baltimore and the Court of Appeals, in the case of Frazier against Warfield;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Townsend moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill;

Determined in the affirmative by year and nays as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Bayne, Jenkins, Watkins,
Billingsley, Lankford, Whitaker,
Denison, Sellman, Willis—10.
Eichelberger,

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Everett, Heckart,
Goldsborough, Pt. Firey, Lynch,
Blackiston, Harrison, Townsend—9.
Briscoe,

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

On motion of Mr. Briscoe,

The Order of the Day was postponed to 2 o'clock.

The bill entitled, An act to repeal so much of article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws for the city of Baltimore as relates to the inspection of tobacco, commencing with section 495 and ending with section 551, both inclusive, and to add to said article, under the head of Tobacco, new sections making other provision for the inspection of tobacco;

Was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Bayne submitted the following amendment:

Strike out, in section 2, the name of "William N. Dorsett, of Prince George's county," wherever it occurs, and insert "James S. Morsell, of Calvert county;"

Which was read and adopted.

Mr. Briscoe submitted the following amendment:

After the word "Legislature," in section 2, line 30, strike out "on joint ballot" and insert "by concurrent vote," wherever it occurs in the bill;

Which was read and adopted.

Mr. Bayne submitted the following amendment:

Strike out "George F. Needham" and insert "Asa Needham, Sen.;"

Which was read and adopted.