The bill entitled, An act to amend the 88th article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to sheriffs, by adding thereto the following sections, relating to accounts to be kept by the sheriff, and returned to the Comptroller, and payments to be made by sheriffs;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Finance.

A bill entitled, An act to amend the 7th section of the 22d article of the Code of Public General Laws relating to the office of the Comptroller;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Finance.

The bill entitled, An act to amend section 1, of article 56, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled, Licenses, relating to the issuing of licenses by clerks of courts;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Finance.

The bill entitled, An act to repeal sections 4, 5, 7, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20 and 25, of article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws, and to re-enact the same with amendments thereto, relating to the time of the election of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to Messrs. Denison, Lankford and Sellman.

The bill entitled, An act to add a new section to article 81 of the Code of Public General Laws, in relation to the duties of State's attorneys, to come in after section 83 of said article;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Mr. Smith, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings to which was referred the bill entitled, An act to amend the 18th section of article 11 of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to State's Attorney, reported it with the following amendment:

In the 14th line strike out the word "city" before the word "court," and substitute the word "criminal," and after the word "Baltimore" in the same line insert the word "city;"

Which was read and adopted, and

The bill was read the second time, and

On motion of Mr. Smith,

Three-fourths of all the Senators concurring,

Was read the third time and passed by yeas and nays, as follow: