

A bill entitled, An act to refund to the legatees of Thomas L. Offutt the money paid by Turner Wootton, administrator of said Thomas L. Offutt, on the forfeited recognizance of Thomas M. Offutt.

A bill entitled, An act to authorize the Comptroller to draw a warrant upon the Treasurer for four hundred and thirty dollars and thirty cents, due David C. Blackiston, administrator of William H. Blackiston, deceased, for overpayment made to Edward A. Moore, deceased, former State's attorney for Kent county, on State tax of 1845.

A bill entitled, An act to compensate the members of the joint committee, appointed by the late Legislature, to examine the reports of the commissioners to revise and codify the laws.

A bill entitled, An act to compensate Joseph M. Palmer for professional services, rendered under appointment of the Governor, in the case of the State *vs.* George Hape, and the State *vs.* George Otto in the Circuit Court for Carroll county;

Which were severally read the first time.

Mr. McKaig, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported a bill entitled, An act to repeal section 191, chapter 14, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Kent county.

Also, a House bill, without amendment, entitled, An act to authorize William Biscoe, James C. Millbourn, Henry Jones, J. L. Biscoe, and Uriah Tippet, trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church in St. Mary's county, to purchase, use and hold a tract of land for a parsonage;

Which was read the second time.

Mr. Lynch, from the Committee on Corporations, reported the following bills:

A bill entitled, An act to amend an act entitled, An act to incorporate the Old Town Savings Institution of Baltimore, passed at January session, 1858.

A bill entitled, An act to incorporate Egenton Orphan Asylum of Baltimore.

A bill entitled, An act to amend the 180th section, relating to schools, of Article 3 of the Code of Public Local Laws.

A bill entitled, An act to appoint and authorize certain persons in Kent county 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, &c.