

The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following bills :

A bill entitled, An act to amend Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to the collection of taxes in the city of Baltimore, by adding thereto the following sections, and by repealing section 826 thereof, relating to the same subject ;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to be printed.

A bill entitled, An act to authorize and direct the State's attorney of Baltimore city, Baltimore county, Anne Arundel county, and Prince George's county, to institute proceedings to forfeit the charter of the President, Managers and Company of the Baltimore and Washington Turnpike Road ;

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

A bill entitled, An act to make valid a deed from Joseph Trimble and William C. Haveland, trustees to Rebecca Smith ;

Was read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

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Was read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Smith,

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

Was taken up.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following

AMENDMENT :

Strike out "three hundred" and insert "one hundred."

The yeas and nays being demanded, appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Duvall,	Townsend,	Watkins—4.
Kimmel,		

NEGATIVE.

Messrs.	Goldsborough, of	Nuttle,
McKaig, P't, p. t.	Dorchester,	Smith,