Mr. Smith presented the petition of Joseph M. Palmer, asking for compensation in the case of the State of Maryland vs. George Oatts, and the case of the State of Maryland vs. George Hape;

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill entitled, An act appropriating a sum of money for the payment of Magruder & Brother, Joseph H. Skinner and George E. Franklin;

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

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Brooke, Pt., Blackiston, Bradley, Duvall, Franklin, Goldsborough, of Dorchester, Goldsborough, of Talbot, McKaig,

Nuttle, Smith, Stone, Townsend, Watkins—13.

NEGATIVE-None.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

The bill entitled, An act to pay J. Hopkins Tarr, late State's Attorney for Caroline county, a certain sum of money;

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

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Brooke, Pt., Blackiston, Bradley, Duvall, Franklin, Goldsborough, of
Dorchester,
Goldsborough, of
Talbot,
Kimmel,
McKaig,

Nuttle, Smith, Stone, Townsend, Watkins—14.

NEGATIVE-None.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

The bill entitled, An act to refund to Elizabeth A. Watkins the amount of forty-three dollars and sixty-four cents, moneys overpaid into the Treasury as taxes;

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

The bill entitled, An act to amend the 83d Section of the 74th Article of the Code of General Laws, so as to extend the