

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on corporations.

A bill entitled, an act to grant a donation to Deer creek academy in Carroll county,

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Brown, Jones and Tidball,

A bill entitled, an act to alter and change the line between the election districts numbers one and six in Washington county,

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Tidball, Lee and Hambleton.

A bill entitled, an act relating to the distribution of the poor school fund in Cecil county,

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on finance.

A bill entitled, an act to authorise the opening of a road through a part of Baltimore and Carroll counties, as therein mentioned,

Which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Brown, Jones and Tidball.

And returned the bill which originated in the Senate, entitled, an act to confirm an act to repeal all that part of the constitution and form of government as relates to the division of Washington county into eight separate election districts, and for other purposes, endorsed "will pass."

Also returned the bill which originated in the Senate, entitled, an act to limit the sessions of the General Assembly in every alternate year, endorsed "will not pass."

On motion of Mr. Jones,

The 12th rule of the Senate was amended by special order, by adding thereto the following; "and the reading by their titles, of all such bills and resolutions, shall be considered their first reading, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate."

On motion of Mr. Beckett,

The committee on engrossed bills was enlarged, by adding thereto the name of Mr. Bruce.

On the further motion of Mr. Beckett,

Mr. Lee was appointed by the President pro tem. to supply the vacancies in the committees on judicial proceedings, and invalid deeds and defective proceedings, occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Schley.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, and after being sometime engaged therein.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Legislative business.

On motion of Mr. Hambleton,

The bill entitled, an act to divorce James J. Pattison of the city of Baltimore, from his wife Eleanor Pattison, was reconsidered, and

On motion of Mr. Tidball,