

county,' relating to the courts of said county, and to enact a substitute therefor;''

Read the first time and referred to the committee on Judicial Proceedings.

A bill entitled, "An Act to amend an Act entitled, 'An Act to incorporate the Easton Passenger and Freight Railway Company,' passed March 10th, 1860, chapter 250;''

Read the first time and referred to Messrs. Crane, Kemp and Campbell.

A bill entitled, "An Act to incorporate the Oakland Coal and Iron Mining and Manufacturing Company;''

Read the first time and referred to the committee on Corporations.

A bill entitled, "An Act to authorize and empower the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to collect and receive from the property holders on both sides of North avenue as well in Baltimore county as in the city of Baltimore, the sums severally assessed to them for the grading of said avenue;''

Read the first time and referred to Messrs. Given, Stirling and Eichelberger.

A bill entitled, "An Act to add a new section to article 18 of the Code of Public General Laws entitled, 'Clerks of Courts,' relating to the clerk of the Court of Appeals;''

Read the first time and referred to the committee on Judicial Proceedings.

A bill entitled, "An Act authorizing the county commissioners of Talbot county to compensate James H. McNeal, of said county, for lands taken for county purposes;''

Read the first time and referred to Messrs. Kemp, Crane and Campbell.

A bill entitled, "An Act to compensate Arthur J. Willis for services rendered and expenses incurred in organizing a regiment for the defence of the county;''

Read the first time and referred to the committee on the Militia.

A bill entitled, "An Act to establish a uniform system of contracting for printing of all such matter pertaining to and for the use of the Legislature of the State of Maryland and for Constitutional State Conventions;''

Read the first time and referred to the committee on Printing.