

for taxes erroneously collected from the said William C. Satterfield, and paid into the Treasury of the State."

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Knott, from Committee on Corporations, reported favorably, with proposed amendment,

House bill entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments sections 1 and 3 of chapter 540 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, 1894, being an Act to authorize the Great Falls Power Company to erect dams, hold real estate and to erect and maintain for the transmission of electricity in Montgomery and Prince George's counties, in the State of Maryland, and to add an additional section thereto, to be called 'Section 3 A.' grant certain additional powers, rights and privileges unto the said Great Falls Power Company."

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

By Corporation Committee.

"That the acceptance of this Act shall oblige and bind the said Great Falls Power Company not to take, occupy, use, interfere with or damage any property or right vested in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, acquired as the successor of the Potomac Company or otherwise, and not to endanger any part of the Canal, or works of said Canal Company, in any degree by liability to flood except by or under written agreements between the said power company on the one part and the said Canal Company and the trustees for the time being of the bond holders of said Canal Company under its mortgages of 1848 and 1878, on the other part, and approved by the Board of Public Works, and as a condition precedent to the exercise of the right herein granted to build a dam or other structure aforesaid, the said power company shall file with the Board of Public Works a survey and plan of the same showing its location, elevation and construction as proposed and provided, also that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to authorize and empower the Great Falls Power Company to interfere with the vested property rights of the Montgomery Power Company."

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Knott, from Committee on Corporations, reported unfavorably,