

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Strike out all after the words "section 3," and insert in lieu thereof:

"And be it enacted, That the question whether or not said Article shall be amended as aforesaid, shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of said city at the election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in May, 1901, the vote on said question to be by ballot, and upon each ballot to be used at said election shall be printed after the list of candidates, the words "For the Amendment Relating to Sabbath," and "Against the Amendment Relating to Sabbath," so that each voter at said election can designate thereon in the manner prescribed by law, whether the vote is for or against said amendment, as he shall elect. The same space shall be provided for the voter's cross-mark, and the same regulations shall be observed as to the return and canvass of the votes upon said amendment as obtaining at the time of such election under the provisions of the public law relating to elections, and this Act shall take effect immediately after it shall have been thus determined that a majority of the legal and qualified voters of said city have cast their votes for said amendment, but nothing contained in this Act shall affect any cases that may be pending, which may be prosecuted as if this Act had not been passed.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Linthicum, from Select Committee, reported favorably,

House bill entitled "An Act to incorporate to town of Secretary, in Dorchester county."

Which was read a first time.

Mr. King, from Select Committee, reported favorably,

House bill entitled "An Act to amend the Code of Public Local Laws, title 'St. Mary's County,' sub-title 'County Commissioners,' by adding a new section to follow section 28, and to be known as 'Section 28 A.'"

Which was read a first time.

Also, favorably, with proposed amendment.

Senate bill entitled "An Act to provide for the copying and recording the marriage records in the clerk's office of St. Mary's county from 1794 to 1864."