

ington County,' sub-title 'Hagerstown,' to be known as 'Section 171 A.' "

Which was read the second time.

Mr. Baker, from Select Committee, reported favorably with proposed amendments,

House bill entitled "An Act to repeal Act of 1896, chapter 193, and to authorize the County Commissioners of Kent county to provide for the building of a public school house in Chestertown, and to build the same, and to issue bonds to pay for the same, and to levy an annual sum to pay such bonds and the interest thereon as they mature, and for other purposes "

#### AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

Amend title by striking out the words "and to build the same" in line 3, after the word "Chestertown."

Strike out the words "and for other purposes" in line 5, and insert in lieu thereof the words "and to appoint a commission for building and equipping."

Sec. 1. Strike out in line 3 the word "fifteen," and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

Amend section 4 by striking out all after the figure "4," and substituting the following:

"And be it enacted, That the proceeds of the sale of the said bonds shall be paid over to the commission hereafter to be named, to be used and applied by said commission exclusively in the purchase of a suitable site of such quantity of land as said commission may deem necessary and in the building and equipping of a public school house in Chestertown, and said proceeds shall be paid out for the purposes mentioned in the Act, under the direction and control of said commissioners and upon the written order of a majority of said commissioners."

Amend "section 5" by striking out all after the figure "5" and substituting the following:

"And be it enacted, that immediately upon the sale of the bonds provided for by this Act, the commission hereinafter named shall proceed to procure a proper site and plans for the building, said school house, and after the securing and adoption of proper plans and specifications, said commission shall advertise at least once a