

Which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Timmons, Parker and Smith, of Wor.

A bill entitled, an act amendatory of an act to incorporate Chesapeake city, in Cecil county, passed March 1st, 1850, chapter 271;

Which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Stubbs, Miller and Scott.

A bill entitled, an act amendatory of an act entitled, an act to authorise the Baltimore United Fire Department, incorporated by an act of the General Assembly of Maryland;

Which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Partridge, Abbott and Smith, of Balt. city.

A bill entitled, a supplement to an act to incorporate a company for building a bridge over Choptank River, at or near Denton Ferry, passed at December session, 1811, chapter 139, and supplements thereto,

Which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Whitby, Stack and Clark.

And returned the bill entitled,

An act to incorporate the American Bank, with the following amendments:

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

1. In sec. 1, line 7, after the word "dollars," add "in gold or silver coin."
2. Sec. 1, line 15, strike out all after the word "pleasure."
3. At the end of sec. 4, add "provided such election of President and Directors shall take place within twenty days from said first Monday of July."
4. Add as sec. 17, "and be it enacted, that the Legislature hereby reserves the right to alter, amend, modify or repeal this act at pleasure."
5. Add as sec. 18, "and be it enacted, that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage."
6. Add as sec. 16, "and be it enacted, that the Bank hereby authorised, shall be subject to all the restrictions and limitations contained in an act passed at January session, 1853, chapter 441, entitled, an act to continue the corporate existence of the several banking institutions therein mentioned, and also an act passed at January session, 1854, chapter 152."