

ber session 1813, chapter 102, entitled an act relating to sheriffs, and for other purposes:

On motion of Mr. Le Grand,

Said bill was amended by striking out the word "by," in the fourth line of the 1st section, and the "words "reason of any other legal impediments," in the eighth line of the 1st section;

Mr. Tall moved further to amend said bill, by adding at the end thereof, as an additional section, the following :

And be it enacted, That Dorchester county, be and it is hereby exempted from the operations of this act,

Determined in the negative.

Mr. England moved to amend said bill by striking out all after the word "as," in the fourth line, 2nd section, to the end of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following : "are now allowed by law to sheriffs, which fees shall be paid by plaintiff;"

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

Said bill was amended by adding at the end thereof, as an additional section the following :

And be it enacted, That the bond of the sheriff or other officer by whom the said levy may have been made shall be discharged from all liability, for the value of the property so seized as aforesaid, on his taking a receipt for the same, from the sheriff or other officer, to whom the writ of venditioni exponas may be directed, and from the date of such delivery, the bond of the sheriff or other officer so receiving the property shall be answerable;

On motion of Mr. Martin,

Said bill was further amended by striking out in the 1st section, these words, "or hath returned or shall return that the same remains unsold,"

The said bill was then read the second time as amended and passed.

The house then proceeded to the consideration of the second order of the day, being the bill, reported by Mr. Forman, from the committee on internal improvement, entitled an act to repeal certain parts of an act, entitled an act relating to charges for transportation upon the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road;

Mr. Le Grand moved to amend said bill by adding at the end thereof as an additional section the following :

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall be of effect until such time as the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company shall signify by its corporate seal, to the treasurer of the Western Shore, that the toll on the canal shall be uniform on the entire line of the canal and its assent to the obligation to increase the tolls on the canal in the same ratio they will be increased on the rail road, in the event of the provisions of this bill being complied with by the canal company;

Which was read,