

the General Assembly of Maryland at its extra session, on the 10th day of May, 1861 ;

Was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Eichelberger submitted the following amendment :

Amend the 1st section, by adding the following :

“ And provided, that any defendant, in any judgment, may within sixty days from the passage of this act, supersede said judgment in the mode provided by the existing laws ;”

Which was read and adopted.

The bill was then read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The bill entitled, an act to provide for the taking of the sense of the people upon the expediency of calling a Convention to frame a new Constitution and form of government for this State, and to provide for the election of delegates to said Convention ;

Was taken up for consideration ;

Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester, submitted the following amendment :

Fill the blank, in 1st section, with the words “ first Wednesday in November, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-three ;”

Which was read.

Mr. Sellman submitted the following amendment :

In the 6th line of the printed bill, strike out “ the people of Maryland,” and insert “ legal votes cast at said election ;”

Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester,

So much was considered the second reading, and

The bill and amendments were made the Order of the Day for Monday, the 27th instant.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates returned:

The bill entitled, an act to compensate George Vickers for legal services rendered the State, in the case of the State against Albert Reed, free negro ;

Endorsed, “ passed by yeas and nays.”

Also, delivered :

A bill entitled, An act to amend the 25th section of the 94th article of the Code of Public General Laws, and to provide for examining, cancelling and burning the bonds and certificates of stock belonging to the Sinking Fund ;

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Finance.