

Mr. Harrison presented the petition of the commissioners of the town of Centreville, in Queen-Anne's county, praying for an extension of their charter; which was read and referred to Messrs. Harrison, Rees and Dennis.

Mr. Heath from the committee, made a favourable report upon the bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to prevent unnecessary accumulation of costs on all actions or suits at law in the county courts of this state, passed at December session 1829, chapter 166.

The said bill was then read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Heath, the senate took up for consideration the bill, entitled, A further supplement to the act passed at November session 1795, entitled, An act to establish a bank and incorporate the subscribers thereto.

The bill being on its second reading,

Mr. Heath moved to amend the bill, by adding at the end of it as follows: "Provided nothing herein contained shall have any force or effect until the stockholders in said bank, or a majority of them, shall have assented to and accepted this supplement in general meeting assembled.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the legislature of this state altering, amending, or repealing, this act, and every thing therein contained, at such time, and in such manner, as may be deemed proper."

Which amendment was read and assented to.

The bill having been read throughout and amended, was then ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Herbert from the committee, made a favourable report upon the bill, entitled, An act to incorporate Westminster, in Frederick county, with the following amendments, viz.

Amendments proposed.

Sec. 3d. 2d line, after the word "resided," insert the words "one year in the state and."

Sec. 4. 6th line, strike out the words "as commissioners."

Sec. 7. 12th line, strike out the words "a court of justice," and insert "the county court."

Sec. 13. 2d line, strike out the word "ten," and insert the words "one hundred."

Which amendments were read and assented to.

The said bill was then read a second time,