

sixteenth section of the act of 1817, chapter 148; entitled, An act relating to the city of Baltimore;

Also the bill, entitled, An act supplementary to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of John Childs, of Anne Arundel county, passed at December session 1830, chapter 172; severally endorsed "will pass," ordered to be engrossed;

Also the bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Dr. William D. Conway, formerly of Harford county; endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendment," which amendment was read the first and second time by special order, assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed;

Also the resolution relating to postages paid or chargeable to members of the legislature;

Also the resolutions in favor of Robinson Savage, Jr. the heirs of Benjamin Howard, deceased, Sarah Auld, widow of Daniel Auld, the heirs of George Ireland, deceased, John I. Jacob and Thomas Burchenal and Martha Hardecastle; severally endorsed, "assented to," ordered to be engrossed.

On motion by Mr. Johnson,

The house took up for consideration the bill reported by him, as chairman of the committee on internal improvement, entitled, An act to incorporate the Baltimore and Port Deposit Rail Road Company.

On motion by Mr. Moores,

Said bill was amended by adding at the end of the twelfth section, the following proviso:

Provided, that nothing herein contained, shall prohibit any citizen or citizens of the counties of Baltimore, Harford and Cecil, or any company hereinafter to be incorporated under the authority of this state, to connect with the road hereby provided for, any other rail road leading from the main route to any part or parts of said counties. Provided also, that in forming such connection, no injury shall be done to the works of this company.

On motion by Mr. Moores,

Said bill was further amended, by inserting after the word "way" in the eighteenth section, third line, these words "either public or private;"

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

The doorkeeper having returned, reported that in obedience to order he had notified the absent members that their attendance in the house was required;

The house then resumed the consideration of the substitute offered by Mr. Wilson, of Cecil.