

same; and that the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petitions.

Which was twice read and concurred in.

The bill reported by Mr. Ellicott, entitled An act to alter and amend the charter of the Columbia Turnpike Road Company, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and passed.

The hour for taking up the order of the day having arrived;

On motion by Mr. Pratt, the house again resolved itself into a committee of the whole house, and resumed the consideration of the unfinished order of Saturday the 26th ultimo, being the report of the joint committee of the Legislature, on the South Carolina Ordinance, and the substitute proposed by Mr. Merrick, and after some time spent therein; the Speaker resumed the chair; when Mr. Gantt, the chairman, reported that the said committee had, according to order, had the said report and substitute again under consideration, and having made some progress therein, directed him to ask leave to sit again, which leave was granted by the house.

On motion by Mr. Harper, the bill reported by Mr. White, from the committee on internal improvement, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act to promote internal improvement by the construction of a Rail Road from Baltimore to the city of Washington, passed at December session, 1830, was made the order of the day for Friday next, the 8th inst.

The bill reported by Mr. Jenkins, entitled, An act to incorporate the Chatsworth Water company of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration:

On motion by Mr. Jenkins, said bill was amended by adding at the end of the twelfth section, the following proviso;

“Provided, that the power granted by this section, shall not be exercised in any case without the previous assent of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, and shall be at all times exercised and subject to such regulations and provisions as they may direct.”

On motion by Mr. Jenkins said bill was further amended, by inserting after the word “proper,” in the third line of the thirteenth section, the following:

“Provided, that the power granted by this section, shall not be exercised in any case without the previous assent of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, and shall be at all times exercised subject to such regulations and provisions as they may direct.”