

mittee on corporations, entitled, an act to incorporate the Patuxent Company,

On motion of McLean, said bill was amended, by inserting as the fifth section thereof, the following,

Sec. 5 And be it enacted, that if the debts which the said Corporation may at any time owe, shall exceed the amount of two thirds of its capital actually paid in, the Directors under whose administration this may happen, shall be liable for the same in their natural and private capacities; and an action may in such case be brought against them, or any of them, or their heirs, executors or administrators, in any court of Record in this State, by any creditor or creditors of the said Corporation, and may be prosecuted to judgment and execution, any condition, covenant or agreement to the contrary notwithstanding—but nothing herein contained shall be construed, to exempt the said Corporation, or the lands, tenements, goods, chattels and estate of the same from being also liable for and chargeable with, the said excess—provided always, that such of the said Directors as may have been absent when the said excess was created, or who may have dissented from the resolution or act whereby the same was created, may respectively exonerate themselves from being so liable, by forthwith giving notice of the fact, and of their absence or dissent, to the Governor of the State, and to the Stockholders at a general meeting, which they shall have power to call for that purpose,

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

On motion of Mr. Hood,

The house adjourned until tomorrow morning, eleven o'clock.

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TUESDAY, January 26th, 1836.

The House met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill, entitled, a further supplement to an act, entitled, a supplement to an act, relating to free negroes and slaves,

Also, the bill, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act for incorporating the Govans' Town Academy in Baltimore county,

Also, the bill, entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled,