

Amendment Proposed.

In the 11th section, insert after the word 'water,' the following, 'and so much of the same act as subjects the said company to the conditions, limitations and restrictions, imposed upon the American Life Insurance and Trust company,

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Sutton,

The house resumed the consideration of the unfinished business of yesterday, being the report of the joint committee on the subject of internal improvement,

And the substitute offered for said report, by the minority of said committee, being a bill, entitled, an act for the promotion of internal improvement.

The question before the house being upon the substitute offered by Mr. Merrick, for the amendment proposed by Mr. Duckett, to come in after the word 'be' in the second line and 8th section.

On motion of Mr. McLean, said substitute was amended by inserting after the word 'company' in the 66th page, 41st line, the following, 'and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore.'

On motion of Mr. Ely, said substitute was further amended, by striking out in the 67th page second line, the words, 'of said company,' and inserting in lieu thereof, the words 'as aforesaid.'

On motion of Mr. McLean, said substitute was further amended by adding at the end thereof, the following, 'by the most Northern practicable route.'

On motion of Mr. Merrick, said substitute was further amended, by inserting after the words 'Canal Company, in the 65th page, fourth line, the words, 'and the Annapolis and Potomac Canal Company.'

On motion of Mr. Merrick, said substitute was further amended by inserting after the word 'company,' in the 65th page, last line, the following, 'and in the case of the Annapolis and Potomac Canal Company, five thousand shares or five hundred thousand dollars of the capital stock of said Company.'

Mr. Hambleton moved further to amend said substitute by adding at the end of the 8th section thereof, the following,

Provided, however, that before any subscription shall be made for and on behalf of this State, to the said capital stock