

Which was read the first and by special order the second time;

Mr. Blocher, then offered as a substitute for said report, a bill, entitled, a further supplement to an act, entitled, an act to revive and amend an act, entitled, an act to provide for the appointment of commissioners for the regulation and improvement of the Town of Cumberland, in Allegany county, and to incorporate the same;

Which was read the first and by a special order the second time;

On motion of Mr. Sprigg, said report and substitute were ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Iglehart reported a bill, entitled, an act to provide for the rebuilding a certain bridge therein mentioned;

Mr. Bowie reported a bill, entitled, an act supplementary to an act, entitled, an act to regulate the inspection of tobacco,

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table;

And Mr. Ent reported a bill, entitled, an act to incorporate the Orphan House and Episcopal Free School of All Saints Church in Frederick town,

Which was read and referred to the committee on corporations.

Mr. Carpenter, chairman of the committee on corporations, made a favorable report upon the bill reported by Mr. Turner, of Balt. entitled, an act to incorporate Union Academy,

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

On motion of Mr. McDaniel, the house took up for consideration the bill reported by him, entitled, an act to incorporate the Union Silk Company of Kent county,

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

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day, the house proceeded to consider the bill reported by Mr. Brown, entitled, an act for the establishment of a civil municipal jurisdiction over a part of Anne Arundel county, and to alter and change the constitution of this State, so far as may be necessary to effect the same;

Mr. Duke moved to postpone said order of the day until the 1st of March next,

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Bowie, the house was called and the door-keeper sent for the absent members.

On motion of Mr. Grason, the house resolved to proceed with the ordinary business of the session during the absence of the door-keeper.

Mr. Parker reported a bill, entitled, an act to prevent horse racing in the public roads of Cecil county,

Which was read the first, and by a special order the second time,

On motion of Mr. Evans, said bill was amended by striking out in the 1st section thereof these words, "for diversion, or on any pretence whatever."

Mr. Powder moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill,