

for the appearance and hearing of the debtors in court, before a final discharge, so as to prevent unnecessary expense to the party, for the publication of such notice."—The bill and proposed amendment were then ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Herbert, from the committee, made a favourable report upon the bill for the relief of Aquilla Beall, and Truman Tyler, of Prince George's county.—The said bill was then read a second, and by special order a third time passed, and returned to the house of delegates.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a resolution for the suspension of proceedings on certain judgments obtained by the state, against Thomas Osborne, late sheriff of Prince George's county and his securities.—Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on ways and means.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to provide for the building of a bridge over the Patapsco Falls, at or near the Thistle Factory, which was read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to re-build or repair a bridge at Federalsburg, between Dorchester and Caroline counties, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Whitely, Dennis and Sewell.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to provide for completing the records in the office of register of wills for Charles county.

A bill entitled, an act to facilitate the collection of taxes due upon lands in Charles county, belonging to non-resident proprietors.

A bill entitled, an act to appoint a trustee for the purposes therein mentioned, and a bill entitled, an act for the establishment of a road and the condemnation of land for its repair, in Kent county, which were severally read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Vulcan Furnace company of Baltimore, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Dennis, Heath and Whiteley.

Also, a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Martin Fenwick of Anne Arundle county, and

A bill entitled, an act, supplementary to an act, incorporating a company, to introduce a copious supply of water, in the town of Emmitsburg in Frederick county, which were severally read the first time.

Also, a bill entitled, an act to authorise the Moderator and commissioners of Hagers Town, to levy the sum of three hundred dollars for certain purposes, which was read the first time and referred to Messrs. Kennedy, Nelson and Forrest.

Also, a bill entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled, an act to incorporate the president and directors of the Firemen's