

FRIDAY, April 21st, 1876.

Senate met at 10 A. M.

Present at the roll call the following Senators:

Mr. President, Aydelotte, Bannon, Brewer, Cooper, Dennis, Freeman, Getty, Gorman, Hepbron, Humphreys, Joyce, Knight, Lee, Lawrence, Lloyd, McCulloh, Newcomer, Phepls, Stevens, Steiner, Suit, Walsh—22.

Proceedings of yesterday read and approved.

The President announced the unfinished business to be the following order heretofore submitted by Mr. Lloyd:

Ordered, That two (2) thousand copies of the report of the Committee and testimony in the case of Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company be printed for the use of the Senate, and that the Secretary of the Senate contract for said printing.

Pending the consideration of said order,

Mr. Stevens submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Strike out all after the word "Company," and insert "and two thousand copies of the assessment bill, and one thousand copies of the revision of registration bill, be printed by the State Printer for the use of the Senate, and that the Treasurer pay, upon the warrant of the Comptroller, to the State printer, the sum of \$2,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the entire work, and that an equal number of copies be sent by the State Printer, at his expense, to each member of the Senate.

Which was read.

Pending the consideration of said amendment,

On motion by Mr. Stevens,

Said order and amendment was laid over.

Mr. Cooper moved that the Senate take a recess until 12 o'clock,

Which was determined in the negative.

At 10.15 A. M.,

On motion by Mr. Stevens,

The Senate went into Executive Session.

At 10.30 A. M., the doors were again opened.