

which, being twice read, by special order, was passed, and sent to the senate for concurrence.

The bill from the senate, entitled, An act relating to the removal of causes for trial to the third judicial district, was read the third time, passed, and returned to the senate.

The bill, reported by Mr. Hall, entitled, An act for the benefit of Charles Adley, a free man of colour, residing in Jefferson county, and state of Virginia, was read the second time, and rejected.

The bill, reported by Mr. M'Ilhenny, entitled, An act to ascertain and settle the salaries of the members of the council, for the present year; was read the second time, and, the blank therein, on motion by Mr. M'Ilhenny, being filled up with the sum of five hundred dollars, it was passed and sent to the senate for concurrence.

Mr. Denny offered the following order, which was read and ordered to lie on the table, viz.

Ordered, That this house during the remainder of the session meet at 9 o'clock A. M.

Mr. Bennett having asked leave to introduce a bill, to be entitled, An act to abolish all such parts of the constitution and form of government, as relate to the council to the governor, and to make the senate his constitutional advisers, the question was propounded, "Will the house grant said leave?"

The yeas and nays being required by seven members, were taken, and appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.		
Messrs. Bennett	Speed	Brown—4
Denny	NEGATIVE.	
Messrs. Speaker	Goldsborough	Bishop
Hawkins	Rauleigh	Hitch
Millard	Griffith	Barnes
Gough	J. W. Thomas	Farquhar
R. Thomas	Harlan	M'Ilhenny
Wilmer	Thompson	Sutton
Campbell	Maffitt	Montgomery
Boon	Beall	Keene
Ringgold	Peach	Saulsbury
Kent	Crabb	Hardcastle
Brooke	Stevens	Hall
Chapman	Nicholson	Newcomer
Rogerson	Winchester	E. Hughes
King	Ridgaway	Lansdale
Buchanan	S. R. Smith	Armstrong
Banning	Slemaker	Shaw—49
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So it was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Barnes, it was Ordered, That the committee of claims pay to Robert B. A. Tate, the usual allowance for serving subpoenas on witnesses summoned to testify before this house; and to settle the claims of witnesses summoned by the committee on elections to give evidence in the case of Samuel L. Rauleigh, esq. a delegate returned from Dorchester county. The house then adjourned until Monday morning next ten o'clock.