The year and nays were called, and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE,

Messrs.
Belt,
Berry, of P. Geo.
Billingsley,
Blackiston,
Bond,
Briscoe,
Brown,

Chambers,
Daniel,
Dent,
Edelen,
Gale,
Hodson,
Hollyday,
Horsey,

Johnson, Lee, Mitchell, Miller, Morgan, Parran, Pugh, Turner—23.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs.
Goldsborough, P't
Abbott,
Annan,
Audoun,
Carter,
Cunningham,
Cushing,
Dellinger,
Duvall,
Ecker,
Farrow,
Galloway,
Hatch,

Hebb,

Hopkins,
Hopper,
Jones, of Cecil,
Keefer,
Kennard,
Larsh,
Mayhugh,
McComas,
Mullikin,
Murray,
Negley,
Nyman,
Parker,
Purnell,
Ridgely,

Robinette,
Russell,
Schley,
Smith, of Carroll,
Smith, of Wor.,
Sneary,
Stirling,
Swope,
Sykes,
Thomas,
Thruston,
Valliant,
Wickard,
Wooden—43.

So the question upon its adoption was decided in the negative.

Mr. Ridgely submitted the following amendment:

Insert as an additional section, the following:

"Sec. —. The Judge or Judges of any Court may appoint such officers for their respective Courts, as may be found necessary, and it shall be the duty of the General Assembly to prescribe by law a fixed compensation for all such officers;"

The question being on the adoption of the amendment;

Mr. Ridgely demanded the year and nays;

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called, and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. • Goldsborough, Pt.

Galloway, Hatch,

Murray, Negley,