

WEDNESDAY, February 20, 8 o'clock, P. M.

The President announced the order of the day, being the bill entitled, an Act to incorporate the Cecil and Harford Counties Boom Company;

The Special Committee to which said bill was referred, submitted the following amendments to the second section:

Sec. 2, line 3, strike out "three," and insert "five;"

Sec. 2, Line 8, strike out after the word "and," all to the word "upon," in the ninth line;

Sec. 2, line 12, strike out "five," and insert "ten;"

Sec. 2, line 18, strike out the word "or," and insert the word "for;"

Which were severally read and adopted.

Mr. Stirling submitted the following amendment:

Strike out all after the word "shares," in line 16, sec. 2, to the word "and," in line 17, and insert in lieu thereof, "by making a rateable distribution of said one thousand shares among the parties subscribing to said stock, provided however, that no subscriber shall be reduced to less than one share of said stock;"

The question upon the adoption of the amendment, was Determined in the negative by yeas and nays as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Stirling,
Young—3.

Waters,

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Billingslea,
Bowie,
Brodwater,
Compton,
Davis, of Caroline,
Holton,
Jump,

Mules,
Spates,
Stephenson,
Tome,
Trail,
Vickers—13.

Mr. Stirling submitted the following amendment:

Strike out "ten," in line 19, sec. 2, and insert "thirty;"

The question upon the adoption of the amendment, was Determined in the negative by yeas and nays as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Stirling,

Waters—2.