

to your Honorable Body, and in compliance with your request, herewith return the same.

By order,
WM. R. COLE,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Morgan proposed the following as a substitute :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
March 22, 1867.

Gentlemen of the Senate :

We have received your message asking the return of the Southern Railroad bill, heretofore passed your Body. We respectfully decline to concur therein, because at this stage of the session the success of the bill would be embarrassed thereby, but will consider any amendments in this Body, and return the same if adopted for the consideration of the Senate.

By order,
WM. R. COLE,
Chief Clerk.

Which was adopted by yeas and nays as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.	Lindsey,	Thomson,
Morgan,	Baker,	Davis, of B. city,
Beck,	Appleman,	Waltmeyer,
Welch,	Bishop,	Bixler,
Cameron,	Burche,	Gordy,
Hutchins,	Neilson,	Nelson,
Shipley,	Hooper,	Wilson,
Nicolai,	Lankford,	McCulloh,
Dennis,	Stevens,	Neale,
Parsons,	Boswell,	Gore—29,

NEGATIVE.

Messrs.	Buhrman,	Robson,
Miller, Speaker,	Linthicum,	Feig,
Clarke,	Gorsuch,	Spicer,
Davis, of Charles,	Steiner,	Devecmon,
Jones,	Bamford,	Brydon,
Whitaker,	Coleman,	Carmichael,
Magruder,	Smith,	Poole,
Calvert,	Flaherty,	Criswell—24.
Rouzer,		

The message was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Dennis,
Ordered, That it be entered upon the journal, that Wm. J. Aydelott, from Worcester county, is detained from his seat on account of sickness.

Mr. King submitted the following :