Endorsed "passed by year and nays with proposed amendment:"

## AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Section 11, be it enacted, that the said railway shall be attached to their said quarries, and any owners thereof shall be allowed to purchase the said railway at a fair valuation from the said Blunt, when his right to the possession of said quarries shall cease; and be it further enacted that the said Blunt and his associates shall keep in order and make all necessary road crossings and ways to cross said railroad.

Which was read and adopted;

The bill was then passed by year and nays as follow:

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Mackall, Messrs. Billingslea, Maddox. Bowie, Mules, Brodwater, Davis, of Caroline, Philpot, Davis, of Washington, Spates, Tome, Earle. Trail, Henkle, Vickers, Jump, Waters-18. Kimmel,

NEGATIVE-None.

Mr. Macall submitted the following the message;

BY THE SENATE,

March 22, 1867.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We herewith again send to your honorable body, for its action the resolutions passed by the Senate on Saturday, the 16th inststant, providing for the purchase of an Executive mansion, and which were returned to the Senate, as requested by our message of the 18th instant.

By order,

A. GASSAWAY, Secretary.

Mr. Davis, of Washington, submitted the following as an amendment:

Resolved, That upon the subject of purchasing a house and premises for the purpose of an Executive mansion, the committee appointed for the purpose of selecting a site, be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, it being deemed inexpedient at this time to incur the expense of said purchase;

The question on the adoption of the amendment was deter-

mined in the negative by yeas and nays as follow: