

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Biggs,	Hammond,
Brewer,	Maddox,
Clarke,	Spates,
Denson,	Smith,
Grove,	Walsh—10.

For want of a constitutional majority.

Mr. Earle moved a reconsideration of the above vote.

Which motion was lost.

House bill entitled an Act to regulate the time of holding the respective Circuit Courts for the several counties, comprising the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Maryland, and to repeal the local laws for the said counties in reference thereto,

Was read a third time and passed by yeas and nays as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,	Henkle,
Browne,	Lee,
Biggs,	Maddox,
Brewer,	Miller,
Clarke,	Parker, of Calvert,
Carroll,	Smith,
Denson,	Walsh,
Earle,	Welch—17.
Fields,	

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

House bill entitled an Act to repeal an Act entitled an Act to repeal Article 63 of Public General Laws, relating to Militia, and sections 652 to 770, both inclusive, of Article 4 Code of Public General Laws, relating to Militia in the city of Baltimore, and to re-enact the same with amendments, and to enact the following in lieu thereof,

Was taken up on its third reading, and

Mr. Lee offered the following amendments :

Amendment to section 1 :

Strike out section 1, and insert : The militia of this State shall consist of all able-bodied white male citizens, between the ages of 18 and 45 years, and not exempt by the laws of the United States, except the Comptroller, the Treasurer, the Secretary of State, Judges and Clerks, of Courts of Record, Registers of Wills, Sheriffs and ministers of any religious denomination.

Amend section 2. Strike out the section.