Dennis, Earle, Henry,

Tuck, Wilson, Williams—14.

The bill, as amended, was then read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Stephenson moved to reconsider the vote by which the order submitted by Mr. Williams, in relation to the presentation of bills ten days before the date of adjournment.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Stephenson moved to amend the said order as follows:

Strike out the words, "and filed at the desk of the Secretary of the Senate," in said order.

Which was adopted.

Said order, as amended, was then adopted.

The Senate bill, entitled an Act to authorize the Town Commissioners of Newtown to endorse the bonds of the Worcester and Somerset Railroad Company to the amount of five thousand dollars,

Being upon its second reading,

Mr. Timmons submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Amend by adding as section 3:

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That the said Railroad Company shall pay the interest on the bonds, endorsed according to the provisions of this Act, semi-annually; but should they fail so to do, then the Town Commissioners, aforesaid, shall levy annually a tax upon the property of said town sufficient to pay the same.

Section 3 to be section 4.

Which was adopted.

Said bill, as amended, was then read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The Senate bill, entitled an Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Dorchester county to aid in the construction of the Vienna Railroad,

Was read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The Senate bill, entitled an Act to provide for the appointment of a Treasurer, and a more economical collection of taxes in Anne Arundel county,

Being upon its second reading,