

NEGATIVE.

Messrs.

Hines, Speaker,	Lee,	Groh,
Merritt,	Riley,	Fenton,
Robinson,	Dawson,	Grimes,
Keech,	Williams,	Stake,
Matthews,	T. H. Hamilton,	Clark,
Merryman,	Cooper,	Fletchall,
Sudler,	C. R. Hamilton,	Waters,
Hodson,	McWilliams,	Vanderford,
Turner, of Cecil,	Staylor,	Galt,
Mackey,	McAleese,	Brown,
Thompson,	Greenfield,	Maclin,
Kemp,	McColgan,	Stewart, of How'd,
Grafton,	Joyce,	Bedsworth—39.

So three-fifths of the members elected not having voted in the affirmative,

The veto of the Governor was sustained.

Also,

The following message:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Annapolis, March 31, 1874.

To the House of Delegates:

I return, without approval, House Bill No. 51, entitled "An Act to incorporate Washington Grove Camp-Meeting Association of the District of Columbia and Maryland." The bill, in my judgment, is in violation of the Constitution, in that, by its 7th section, it ignores the officers of the State, who are, by the organic law, made the conservators of the public peace, and provides for the enforcement of sections 164 and 165, of the 30th Article of the Code, relating to "Religious Meetings," by the appointment of certain persons as officers of the peace, not recognized in the Constitution or in those sections of the Code above referred to, who, being appointed by a Justice of the Peace, are to exercise the authority of constables.

WM. PINKNEY WHYTE.

Which was read.

Also,

Delivered the bill named therein, being an Act to incorporate Washington Grove Camp-Meeting Association of the District of Columbia and Maryland.

The question recurring upon the reconsideration of the vote by which said bill was passed, under the provisions of the Constitution, section 17, Article 2,

The vote was reconsidered.