

NIGHT SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, March 16th, 1892.

Senate met at 8 P. M.

Present at roll call the following Senators :

Messrs. President, Austin, Bennett, Brown, Dawson, Evans, Getty, Gorter, Hayes, Hepbron, Moss, Newman, Posey, Robinson, Seibert, Smith, Toadvin, Waters, Wilkinson, Wirt, Wootton—21.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments to sections 1, 2, 4, 141 and 146, of Article 81, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Revenue and Taxes," and to add new sections to said Article to be known as sections 164 to 197, both inclusive, providing for the general valuation and assessment of property in this State.

Which had been reported favorably from the Committee on Finance at the morning session, and its consideration made the order for the night session.

Was considered, and,

On motion by Mr. Hayes,

Said bill was made the order at to-morrow's session, after the reading of the Journal, as unfinished business.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS &c.

Mr. Waters presented the following petitions:

Of 210 citizens of Somerset county, for repeal of local oyster planting law.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries.

Of Daniel Webster and other citizens of Somerset county, praying reimbursement for costs paid in defending the State's right to certain natural oyster beds in said county.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.