

Ford, Lambdin, Smith, of Dorchester, Waters, of Dorchester, Brice, Snowden, Harca, Gwynn, Cockey, Neal, Purnell, Onley, Riggs, Hinks, Naill, Koons, Rutledge, Boyle, Vandiver, Culbreth, Goldsborough, Rusk, Berkemeir, Lewis, McWilliams, Hoblitzell, McGlone, Coburn, Stewart, McAleese, Gill, Hart, Leane, Chaisty, Hess, Harig, Albaugh, Saunders, Fenton, Scott, Farrow, Ranger, Canby, Griffith, Rawlings, Atkinson, Sprigg, Brooke, Brown, Rinehart, Lamotte, Waters, of Carroll, Donaldson, Dashiell, Gordy, Barnard—77.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

February 15th, 1876.

The following bills having passed both Houses, were this day presented to His Excellency, the Governor, for his approval:

No. 20: An Act to empower the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, to purchase, lease or condemn lands for public parks or squares within the limits of Baltimore city.

No. 21. An Act to empower the Clerk of the County Commissioners for Talbot county, to administer an oath or affirmation to any account to any person presenting a claim to the Commissioners against the county.

No. 22. An Act authorizing the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel county to place certain fees in the hands of the several Sheriffs of this State and the City of Baltimore for collection.

No. 23. An Act to repeal an Act, entitled "An Act to require all Auctioneers making sales in Baltimore county to pay a license fee."

MILTON Y. KIDD,

Chief Clerk.

Hon. Richard C. Hollyday, Secretary of State, delivered the following message from His Excellency, the Governor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, February 15th, 1876.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates of Maryland:

I have the honor to inform you of my approval and signature of House Bill, No. 19, an Act to repeal Section 934, of Article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Water," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

JOHN LEE CARROLL.

On motion of Mr. Gill,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Ways and Means, to sit for half-an-hour during the Session of the House.