

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.	President,	Knight,
	Aydelotte,	Lee,
	Bannon,	Lawrence,
	Brewer,	Lloyd,
	Duke,	McCulloh,
	Dennis,	Mudd,
	Freeman,	Newcomer,
	Ford,	Steiner,
	Getty,	Suit,
	Humphreys,	Walsh—20.

## NEGATIVE—None.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Getty moved to suspend the rules so as to take up

Senate bill entitled an Act regulating the working and proper ventilation of coal mines in Allegany and Garrett counties, and providing for the appointment of an Inspector for said mines.

Which was decided in the negative.

Mr. Mudd, from Select Committee, reported favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to provide for an additional Justice of the Peace for District No. 4 of Charles county.

Which was read the second time.

Hon. R. C. Hollyday, Secretary of State, appeared and delivered the following communication from the Executive :

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
Annapolis, March 17th, 1876.

*Gentlemen of the Senate :*

I have the honor of informing you, that I have approved and signed the following Acts, which originated in the Senate :

No. 70. An Act to provide for the payment of the counsel employed to represent the State in the arbitration between Maryland and Virginia, upon the boundary between the said States, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor, and for the other expenses of the said arbitration.

No. 80. An Act to amend the Act passed at this present Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments, an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, chapter 334, approved March 30th, 1868, entitled an Act supplementary and amendatory of an Act passed at the present Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled an Act to amend the charter of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania.