

The Clerk of the House of Delegates appeared and delivered the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
March 31, 1876.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We have received a message from your Honorable Body, requesting the return to your House of House bill relating to the Scraping and Scooping of Oysters in the Choptank river, 49. We hereby comply with your request, and return the bill.

By order,
MILTON Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk.

The bill being again before the Senate,
Mr Lloyd submitted the following amendments:

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

Amend title, strike out "eleven and twelve," and insert "ten and eleven."

Strike out the words "Section 2. And be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That" and insert before "the" the figure "1."

Section 12, line 9, after "counties," insert "for sale to any person."

Strike out in Section 2, line 11, the word "May," and insert "June."

Section 2, line 22, strike out "Wade's Point," and insert "a line drawn from Tilghman's Point to the southwest point of Parson's Island."

Section 2, line 24, after "Act," insert "between the 15th day of September, in each year, and the first day of May next following."

Strike out the number "11" after "Section," and insert "10."

Section 11, line 10, after "River," insert "for sale to any person."

Which were adopted.

Said bill was then passed by yeas and nays as follows, with proposed amendments:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Aydelotte,
Bannon,
Brewer,
Dennis,
Freeman,
Ford,
Hepbron.

Lawrence,
Lloyd,
McCulloh,
Mudd,
Newcomer,
Phelps,
Stevens,