

EVENING SESSION.

THURSDAY, June 20th, 1861.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, from the Committee on Finance, reported the following:

A bill, entitled, An act appropriating a sum of money for the payment of the claims of James E. Tate, John H. Emerson and A. G. Qullett;

Which was read the second time.

Mr. McKaig offered the following:

Ordered, That three members of this body be appointed by the President, whose duty it shall be to report to the Senate some rule by which the attendance of absent members of this body may be compelled, in such manner and under such penalties as the Senate may prescribe.

Mr. Duvall moved to lay the order on the table.

The yeas and nays being demanded appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Duvall,	Smith,
Grahame,	Stone,
Gardiner,	Townsend
Goldsborough, of Talbot;	Watkins—9.
Miles,	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Brooke, President;	Lynch,
Blackistone,	McKaig,
Franklin,	Whitaker—7.
Heckart,	

So the Senate laid the order on the table.

A bill, entitled, An act to make valid the commission of Tench Tilghman, as Major General of the Second Division of Maryland Militia,