

Favorably on a bill entitled, an act appropriating a sum of money for the payment of the claims of Alvard Johnson, Richard Brashears, James Campbell, James H. League, and L. G. Taylor ;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Harrington, from the committee on Corporations, reported favorably on the bill entitled, an act to amend the charter of the Charles street Avenue Company ;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Stirling, from the committee on Ways and Means, reported favorably on the Senate bill entitled, an act to authorize the Comptroller of the Treasury to procure and use a stamp upon licenses issued from his office, and to repeal so much of the act of Assembly, passed January session, 1853, chapter 86, as regards licenses to be countersigned by him ;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Belt, from the majority of the committee on the Judiciary, reported favorably on the bill entitled, an act to protect the people of the State in the free exercise of the elective franchise ;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Alexander moved that the said bill be recommitted to the committee on the Judiciary ;

The yeas and nays being demanded thereon, appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Berry, Sp'r,	Davis,	Smith, of B. city,
Wickes,	Ford, of Cecil,	Kennard,
Meginnis,	Harding,	Lynch, of B. city,
Griffiss,	Root,	Harrington,
Waller,	Koons,	Crowley,
Moore,	Hobbs,	Forrest,
Sudler, of Som.	Hanway,	Alexander,
Tilghman,	Bacon,	Summers,
Dail,	Todd,	Reindollar,
Richardson,	Stirling,	Day—32.
Grieves,	McPherson,	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Morgan,	Clarke,	Schnebly,
Neale,	Goldsborough,	Riddlemoser,
Mackubin,	Belt,	Duvall,
Kilbourn,	Wyville,	Worthington,
Magruder,	Contee,	Thruston,
Burgess,	Larrimore,	Kilgour,