

Ordered, That the counties and the city of Baltimore be now called in the order of their usual precedence and each county shall have the right to call two bills, and the city of Baltimore four, which shall be read the second and third time and finally acted upon ;

Mr. Thruston proposed the following amendment:

“And the roll of counties shall be reversed in the call;”

Mr. McPherson proposed the following amendment:

“Every two members shall be entitled to one bill, and odd Delegates shall not count.”

The Secretary of the Senate returned the following bills:

A bill entitled, an act to establish a uniform system of public schools in Cecil county;

Endorsed, “passed by yeas and nays, with proposed amendments.”

#### AMENDMENTS PROPOSED:

Article 2. sec. —, line 4, strike out “third Wednesday of March,” and insert “first Wednesday of May.”

In article 1, sec. 5, lines 15 and 16, strike out “constitution or.”

In article 1st, sec. 15, lines 2 and 3, strike out “and are hereby required on or before the first day of April next,” and insert “whenever, in their discretion, they shall deem it proper.”

In article 1st, sec. 1, line 13, strike out “never,” and insert “shall not exceed twelve cents in the one hundred dollars or.”

In article 2, sec. 1, after the word “county,” in line 3, insert “except the funds appropriated to the Elkton and West Nottingham Academies.”

Add to sec. 6, in article 1, “provided that this section shall have no application to the rights, property and funds vested in or appropriated to the Elkton and West Nottingham Academies.”

Which was assented to, and

The bill as amended, passed by yeas and nays, as follow:

#### AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Berry, Sp'r,	Davis,	McPherson,
Morgan,	Ford, of Cecil,	Smith, of B. city,
Wickes,	Kidd,	Kennard,
Meginnis,	Belt,	Harrington,
Tongue,	Wyville,	Crowley,