

Dail,	Forrest,	Mountz,
Davis,	Alexander,	Welling—38.
Kidd,	Summers,	

So the amendment was not assented to.

Mr. Sudler, of Somerset, proposed the following amendment:

In section 5, strike out "three hundred dollars," and insert "one hundred dollars;"

Which was not assented to.

Mr. Ford, of Cecil county, proposed the following amendment:

In section 5, strike out "three hundred dollars" and insert "five hundred;"

Which was not assented to.

Mr. Thurston proposed the following amendment:

"Strike out section 6;"

Which was assented to.

Mr. McPherson proposed the following amendment:

"Add section 6. And be it enacted, That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to apply to debts or obligations existing prior to the date on which it takes effect;"

Which was assented to.

Mr. Summers proposed the following amendment:

"Add section 7. And be it enacted, That nothing in this act contained shall apply to any free negro of this State;"

Which was assented to.

The said bill was then read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading;

On motion of Mr. Forrest.

The rules were suspended, and

Said bill was read a third time, by special order, and rejected by yeas and nays as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Morgan,	Contee,	Alexander,
Meginnis,	Spence,	Summers,
Tongue,	Thomas,	Schnebly,
Mackubin,	Bowlus,	Riddlemoser,
Griffiss,	Hobbs,	Thruston,
Magruder,	Stirling,	Kilgour,
Smith, of B. co.	Rogers,	Barnard,