

NEGATIVE.

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Traverse	Nicols	Shaw
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Green	Weber	Mr. Speaker—25.
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So the said order was laid on the table.

Mr. Murray, chairman of the committee on Elections and Privileges, made the following

REPORT:

The committee on Elections respectfully report to the House of Delegates, that they have examined the returns of the judges of elections of the several counties of this State, and find that the aggregate vote of all the counties so far as they have made returns, are twenty-two thousand and forty-five against the provisions of the act of 1841, chapter 214, entitled, an "an act to alter and amend the Constitution and form of Government of the State of Maryland, so as to substitute biennial for annual sessions of the Legislature, and for other purposes;" and thirteen thousand two hundred and fifty-seven in favor of the act.

The special returns show the following result of the vote in each county:

	<i>For Biennial Sessions.</i>	<i>Against.</i>
Somerset county, - - -	813	869
Carroll county, - - -	416	2,035
Dorchester county, - - -	1,095	297
Worcester county, - - -	515	208
Calvert county, - - -	148	410
Prince George's county, - - -	843	560
Talbot county, - - -	863	393
Anne Arundel county, - - -	1,001	1,767
Cecil county, - - -	1,601	549
St. Mary's county, - - -	246	660
Montgomery county, - - -	414	1,197
Baltimore city, - - -	2,495	9,068
Caroline county, - - -	1,167	34
Queen Anne's county, - - -	974	399
Washington county, - - -	666	3,599
Baltimore county, - - -	no return.	
Frederick county, - - -	"	
Kent county, - - -	"	
Charles county, - - -	"	
Harford county, - - -	"	
Allegany county, - - -	"	

JAMES MURRAY, Chairman.