

Read and referred to the committee on internal improvements.

Mr. Owens moved that the said memorial be printed.

Mr. Newman moved to lay the said motion to print on the table.

On the question being put: Will the house agree to lay the said motion on the table?

On motion of Mr. Graves,

The yeas and nays were required and appear as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Frazier	Quynn	Berry
Tall	Mason	Newman—8
Heckart	Newcomer	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Coad	Winder	Polk
Jones	Long	Giles
Welch of K.	Humphreys	Le Grand
Ridgely	Foard	Graves
Owens	Sprigg	Seidenstricker
Hammond	Maccubbin	Gallagher
Estep	Welch, of A.	Byer
Dalrymple	Spencer	Keppler
Stevens	Wilmer	Gaither
Matthews	Temples	Dade
Poultney	Hearn	Price
Welch of B.	McPherson	Crabbs
Risteau	Simmons	Parke
Stansbury	Firor	Bramwell
Holmes	Sutton	Hook
Martin	Hope	Mr. Speaker—49.
Colston		

So the house refused to lay the said motion on the table.

The question then recurred on the motion to print, and on the same being put—

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Gaither presented a petition from Edward Owen and others, of Montgomery county, praying an alteration of the law in regard to the assemblages of negroes;

Read and referred to the committee on crimes and punishments.

Mr. Risteau presented the petition of Sarah B. Grupy, of Baltimore county, counter to the petition of Francis Grupy, for a divorce;

Read and referred to the committee on divorces;

Mr. Stansbury presented a counter memorial to that of Robert Love and others, praying for the opening of a certain road therein mentioned;

Read and referred to the committee already raised on that subject.

Mr. Ridgely presented the petition of G. S. Thompson, pray-