

Dahymple	George	Zeigler
Weems	Ford	Claggett
Brent	Foreman	England
Matthews	Hearn	Gaither
Parsons	Cathell	Gittings
Rider	Hooper	Gott
Jones, of Som.	Richardson	Sprigg, of Al.
Williams	Motter	Combs
Jacobs	Wm. Lynch	Thayer—54

So the substitute was rejected.

The question was then put upon the substitute as offered by Mr. Graves, and

Determined in the negative.

The question then recurred and was put upon the adoption of the message,

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Bowie asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to authorise the banks of this State, for a limited time, to issue notes of a less denomination than five dollars and not less than one dollar, and to repeal so much of the act of 1839, entitled an act for the better regulation of the banking institutions of this State so as to prohibit the banks from issuing notes of a less denomination than five dollars;

Ordered, That Messrs. Bowie, England, Jones, of Somerset, Prestman and Nesbit be a committee to prepare and report the same.

Mr. Bowie also asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to direct the manner in which the agents to represent the State in all joint stock companies in which the State has an interest, shall hereafter be appointed.

Ordered, That Messrs. Bowie, Causin, Le Grand, Sprigg, of Allegany, and Willis, be a committee to prepare and report the same.

The clerk of the Senate delivered the following messages,

Which were read,

By the Senate,

December, session 1840.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

The Senate having organized by the election of Richard Thomas, Esq. as President, and Joseph H. Nicholson, Esq. Chief Clerk, are prepared to proceed with the business of the session. The Senate propose to sit from 11 o'clock, A. M. to 3 o'clock, P. M. for the despatch of public business.

By order,

Jos. H. Nicholson, Clerk.

By the Senate,

December, 29th 1840.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message, proposing the appointment of a joint committee to wait on his Excellency the Governor, and concur