

signed his seat as a delegate from the city of Baltimore, and we have elected the Honorable Daniel S. Biser of Frederick county, Speaker of this House.

On motion of Mr. Buskirk,

The House took up the unfavorable report of the Committee on Internal Improvement on the memorial of M. Duvall, praying for relief for damages sustained by him from the Eastern Shore Rail Road Company;

On motion of Mr. Buskirk,

Said report and memorial were recommitted to the committee on Internal Improvement.

On motion of Mr. Boyle,

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore furnish this House with the annual report of the State Lottery Commissioners made to him at the present session.

Mr. Carmichael, chairman of the committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That to sustain the credit of the State, it will be necessary to provide means by increased taxation.

Resolved, That to render the burthen of taxation as light as possible, this House will adopt such measures of retrenchment, in the expenses of the State, as are not inconsistent with the public interest.

Which were twice read.

Mr. Forwood moved to postpone the further consideration of the said resolutions, and make them the order of the day for Tuesday next;

On the question being put,

It was determined in the negative.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the said resolutions;

On motion of Mr. Forwood,

The question was put on the resolutions separately,

And on being put on the first resolution,

On motion of Mr. Forwood,

The yeas and nays were required and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Causin	Boggs	Geyer
Sutton of St. M.	Eccleston	Graves
Hopewell	Nicols of Dor.	Presstman
Hammond	Traverse	Hollman
Duke	Richardson	Braddock
Crain	Maccubbin	Gott
Walker	Hamilton	Gittings
Risteau	Carmichael	Buskirk
Poultney	Bryan	Buchanan
Hook	Newnam	Shaw
Handy	Simmons	Mr. Speaker—33