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| Messrs. Dorsey | Newnam | Bouldin |
| Sellman | Powell | Graves |
| Laveille | Cathell | Richardson of B. |
| Eccleston | Sutton of Har. | Hollman |
| Nicols of Dor. | Hope | Gittings |
| Traverse | Johns | Stull—18 |

So the vote was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Buskirk,

Ordered, That said bill be made the order of the day for Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Johnson,

Leave was granted to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to bring in a bill for the benefit of the heirs of Razin Gaither, deceased.

On motion of Mr. Dashiell,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning nine o'clock.

FRIDAY, February 25th, 1842.

The House met. Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Sutton of St. Mary's, Hopewell, R. M. Gale, Sutton of Kent, Owens of Anne Arundel, Dorsey, Sellman, Hammond, Laveille, Matthews, Walker, Hook, Sherwood, Lowe, Handy, Dashiell, Stone, Boggs, Eccleston, Nicols of Dorchester, Traverse, Richardson of Dorchester, Forwood, Owens of Cecil, Tuck, Maccubbin, Johnson, Carmichael, Bryan, Newnam, Dennis, Powell, Cathell, Forman, Simmons, Staley, Schley, Sutton of Harford, Hope, Bouldin, Nicols of Caroline, Culbreth, Gallagher, Graves, Richardson of Baltimore, Spencer, Hollman, Darby, Braddock, Gott, Gittings, Buchanan, Shaw, Stull and Mr. Speaker.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Graves presented the memorial of Alexander Brown & Sons, William Wilson & Sons, and others, counter to the passage of the bill for the better security of negro slaves, &c.

Read and referred to the committee on Colored Population.

Mr. Stone presented the petition of Ann Polk in behalf of Alice Wright, colored woman of Washington city, praying for permission to reside in Somerset county;

Read and referred to the committee on Colored Population.

Mr. Gallagher presented the memorial of sundry voters of election district No. 6, Prince George's county, remonstrating against the passage of the bill to elect the levy court of said county by the people;

And the memorial of sundry citizens of the same county, re-