

On motion of Mr. Lyday,
The yeas and nays were required and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. J. H. Gale	Lowe	Johns
Sutton of Kent	Stone	Bouldin
Dorsey	Knight	Starr
Sellman	Maccubbin	Lyday
Hammond	Powell	Grove
Walker	Cathell	Hollman
Risteau	Forman	Gittings
Poultney	Simmons	Powder
Hook	Staley	Davis
Randall	Geyer	Boyle
Willis	Sutton of Har.	Stull
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NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Causin	Nicols of Dor.	Nicols of Car.
Hopewell	Traverse	Culbreth
R. M. Gale	Richardson of D.	Downs
Owens of A. A.	Forwood	Gallagher
Duke	Owens of Cecil	Presstman
Laveille	Tuck	Richardson of B.
Matthews	Hamilton	Spencer
Brent	Johnson	Darby
Handy	Carmichael	Braddock
Dashiell	Bryan	Buskirk
Boggs	Dennis	Buchanan
Eccleston	Schley	Shaw—36

So the House refused to reject the said bill.

The question then recurred on the passage of the said bill;

On motion of Mr. Geyer,

The House was called and the doorkeeper sent after the absent members.

On motion of Mr. Causin,

The House proceeded with the ordinary business of the session in the absence of the doorkeeper.

The clerk of the Senate delivered the following message:

By the Senate,

March 1st, 1842.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have returned, without our concurrence in its passage, the bill entitled, "an act fixing the compensation to be allowed hereafter to certain officers under the government."

The rejection of this bill does not proceed from any conviction that none of the salaries mentioned in it should be reduced, but in order that the Senate may reduce such as its members deem to be too high, without touching others mentioned in it, which they believe to be already low enough.