

relief of Thomasina H. Gist, an infant, passed December session 1838, ch. 130;

The bill entitled, an act to make valid a deed therein mentioned;

And the bill entitled, an act to allow Thomas W. De Coursey, late collector of taxes for Queen Anne's county, further time to complete his collecttoms;

Severally read the second time by special order, passed and returned to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Poultney,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Poultney, Randall, Risteau, Walker and Hook, to bring in a bill entitled, an act for the relief of the assessors of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr. Nicols of Caroline,

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to alter and amend the constitution and form of government of the State of Maryland so as to substitute biennial for annual sessions of the Legislature, and for other purposes;

The question being on assenting to the amendments proposed to said bill by the Senate;

And on being put,

On motion of Mr. Nicols of Caroline,

The yeas and nays were required and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Hopewell	Boggs	Forman
Sutton of St. M.	Eccleston	Nicols of Car.
R. M. Gale	Nicols of Dor.	Culbreth
J. H. Gale	Traverse	Downs
Sutton of K.	Bayne	Richardson of B.
Owens of A. A.	Maccubbin	Darby
Dorsey	Hamilton	Gott
Handy	Johnson	Buchanan
Dashiell	Carmichael	Shaw—29
Stone	Bryan	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Sellman	Owens of Cecil	Starr
Walker	Cathell	Lyday
Risteau	Simmons	Grove
Poultney	Staley	Spencer
Hook	Schley	Hollman
Randall	Hope	Gittings
Willis	Johns	Boyle
Sherwood	Gallagher	Stull
Lowe	Graves	Mr. Speaker—27

So the amendments were assented to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Gittings then moved that the House do now adjourn;

On the question being put,