

The question then recurred on assenting to the third, being the last amendment proposed by the Senate;

Mr. Carmichael moved to reject the said amendment;

On the question being put,

On motion of Mr. Nicols of Caroline,

The yeas and nays were required and appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Sellman	Johnson	Richardson of B.
Owens of A. A.	Carmichael	Grove
Walker	Bryan	Hollman
Risteau	Newnam	Darby
Poultney	Simmons	Braddock
Hook	Staley	Gott
Randall	Schley	Gittings
Willis	Sutton of Har.	Buchanan
Sherwood	Hope	Shaw
Lowe	Johns	Powder
Knight	Gallagher	Boyle
Forwood	Graves	Stull
Owens of Cecil	Presstman	Mr. Speaker—40
Bayne		

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. R. M. Gale	Handy	Tuck
J. H. Gale	Dashiell	Hamilton
Sutton of K.	Stone	Cathell
Morsell	Eccleston	Forman
Duke	Nicols of Dor.	Nicols of Car.
Laveille	Traverse	Downs
Brent	Richardson of D.	Buskirk—21

So it was determined in the affirmative.

The bill was then returned to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Forman,

Ordered, That a committee of two be appointed by the chair, to wait upon the Hon. Daniel S. Biser, and request a copy of his address, delivered by him this day from the chair, that the same may appear on the journal of the House.

Whereupon Messrs. Forman and Grove were appointed said committee, who after a short time reported that they had performed the duty imposed on them by the aforegoing order, and that they had been furnished with a copy of said address by the Speaker, and that they had placed the same in the hands of the clerk.

SPEAKER'S ADDRESS.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :

The approval of my conduct as your presiding officer as manifested by the order which you have just adopted, is, I assure you, a compliment for which I have the highest appreciation, and for which I beg you to accept my most profound acknowledgment.