

The resolution in favor of Capt. William H. Smith ;

And the resolution directing the Treasurer of the Western Shore to sell so much of the stock of the State in the several banks as may be necessary for the purposes therein mentioned ;

Severally endorsed "dissented from."

And returned the following bills:

The bill entitled, an act for the payment of the journal of accounts ;

The bill entitled, an act entitled, a further supplement to an act entitled, an act relating to free negroes and slaves ;

The bill entitled, an act to authorise James Shipley, late collector of the third collection district of Anne Arundel county, further time to complete his collections ;

Severally endorsed "will pass ;"

Severally ordered to be engrossed.

And the bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act regulating the licenses of hawkers and pedlars, and for other purposes, passed at December session 1840, ch. 154 ;

Endorsed "will not pass."

On motion of Mr. Grove,

Leave was granted to withdraw from the files of this House the petition of Sarah Mennapenny and Samuel Mennapenny of Washington county.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill entitled, a further supplement to an act passed at March session 1841, ch. 23, entitled, an act for the general valuation and assessment of property in this State, and to provide a tax to pay the debts of the State.

The question being on the substitute for the amendment of Mr. Grove submitted by Mr. Carmichael, to fill up the blank in the 2nd line of the 1st section with the word "thirty."

On motion of Mr. Culbreth,

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

Who after being absent for some time, returned and reported that he had notified the absent members that their attendance was required in the House.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Carmichael to fill up the blank with the word "thirty ;"

And on being put,

On motion of Mr. Presstman,

The yeas and nays were required and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. R. M. Gale

Tuck

Presstman

Hammond

Hamilton

Grove

Brent

Johnson

Darby

Poultney

Carmichael

Braddock

Eccleston

Bryan

Gott

Nicols of Dor.

Schley

Gittings—20

Richardson of D.

Graves