

Endorsed "referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates."

And the following bills, originated in and passed by the Senate, viz :

A bill entitled, an act to allow Thomas H. Ford, former sheriff of Queen Anne's county, further time to complete his collections ;
Which was read and referred to Messrs. Harrison, Earickson and Temples.

A bill entitled, an act to authorise William Ireland, former collector of Calvert county, further time to comple his collections ;
Which was read and referred to Messrs. Weems, Allnutt and Dalrymple.

A bill entitled, an act for the benefit of Elijah Friend, of Allegany county ;
Which was read and referred to Messrs. McKaig, Smith and Hammill.

A bill entitled, an act for the relief of the securities of Israel Mayberry, late collector of the taxes, for Allegany county ;
Which was read and referred to Messrs. Smith, Fitzpatrick and Hammill.

And delivered the following message :

By the Senate,
January 23rd, 1844.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message, requesting the return of a bill "entitled a supplement to an act, for the protection of oysters, in the waters of this State," passed December session eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, chapter three hundred and ten, and herewith return the same.

By order,

Joseph H. Nicholson, clerk.

Which was read.

Mr. Thomas of Anne Arundel, (seconded by two other members that voted in the majority,) moved that the House reconsider the vote upon the bill mentioned in said message ;

On the question being put,

Will the House reconsider their vote :

It was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Lankford,

The yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.—Messrs. Causin, Thomas, of St. Mary's, Hopewell, Murray, Thomas, of A. A., Ligon, Johnson, Warfield, Alnutt, Dalrymple, Reeder, Carroll, jr., Stansbury, of Baltimore county, Welsh, Aarringdale, Thomas, of Talbot, Stewart, Dail, Chaplin, Lackland, Cropper, Owen, Harris, Earickson, Buckey, Thomas, of Frederick, Stephenson, McKnett, Keene, Mann, Weber, Hollman, Trundle, Kilgour, Griffith, Hammill, Smith, Shaw, Stull and Powder.—40.