

Talbot, Stewart, Dail, Lackland, Cropper, Owen, Harris, Temples, Purnell, Hearn, Cathell, Shriver, Stephenson, Stansbury of Baltimore city, Mann, Weber, Boteler, Hollman, Fitzpatrick, Shaw, Stull and Powder.—34.

So the bill was passed.

Mr. Weber moved to amend the title of said bill, by striking out the title and inserting the following :

“An act to maintain the faith of the State, by making taxes voluntary contributions.”

Determined in the negative.

On the motion of Mr. Weber,

The yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows :

**AFFIRMATIVE.**—Messrs. Murray, Thomas of Anne Arundel, Ligon, Walker, Carroll jr., Stansbury of Baltimore county, Welsh, Poultney, Stewart, Dail, Lackland, Cropper, Owen, Harris, Shriver, Stephenson, Stansbury jr. of Baltimore city, Mann, Weber, Boteler, Hollman and Fitzpatrick—22.

**NEGATIVE.**—Messrs. Watson, (Speaker,) Thomas of St. Mary's, Hopewell, Spencer, Tilden, Hollyday, Johnson, Warfield, Alnutt, Weems, Chapman, Reeder, Freeman, Bowdle, Arringdale, Thomas of Talbot, Lankford, Waters, of Somerset, Philips, Dennis, Phelps, Chaplain, Calvert, Wootten, Semmes, Ghiselin, Harrison, Temples, Earickson, Purnell, Franklin, Cathell, Buckey, Lynch, Thomas, of Frederick, Nail. Polk, Yellott, Hopkins, Potter, McKnett, Curley, Levering, Carey, Trundle, Kilgour, Griffith, Waters, of Montgomery, McKaig, Hammit, Smith, Ecker, Shaw Stull, and Powder.—55.

So the house refused to amend the title.

Mr. Wootten moved that all the orders of the day be postponed until Monday next.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Semmes,

The house adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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SATURDAY, February 17th, 1844.

The House met. Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Thomas, of St. Mary's, Hopewell, Spencer, Tilden, Hollyday, Murray, Thomas, of A. A., Ligon, Johnson, Warfield, Alnutt, Weems, Dalrymple, Chapman, Reeder, Freeman, Walker, Carroll, jr., Stansbury, of Baltimore county, Welsh, Poultney, Arringdale, Thomas, of Talbot, Lankford, Waters, of Somerset, Philips, Dennis, Stewart, Dail, Phelps, Chaplain, Lackland, Cropper, Owen, Harris, Calvert, Harrison, Temples, Earickson, Purnell, Hearn, Franklin, Cathell, Buckey, Lynch, Thomas, of