On motion of Mr. Tome,

It was read the second and third times, by special order, and engrossed for a third reading, and

Passed by yeas and nays as follow:

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Billingslea, of Carroll,
Billingsley, of St. Mary's,
Carroll,
Clarke,
Davis, of Caroline,
Davis, of Washington,
Earle,
Harwood,
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## NEGATIVE-None.

Said bill was then sent to the House of Delegates.

On motion of Mr. Ohr,

The Senate took a recess to 7½ P. M.

## THURSDAY, March 9th, 7½ P. M.

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The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following message:

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By the House of Delegates,

March 9th, 1865.

Gentlemen of the Senate":

We have received your message proposing to proceed with the election of United States Senator to fill the unexpired term of the Hon. T. H. Hicks, deceased, at one o'clock to-day, and concur therein.

We have nominated on the part of the House of Delegates the Hon. J. A. J. Cresswell.

By order,

W. R. Cole,
Chief Clerk.