

other states the power to take acknowledgments of deeds to pass lands lying within this state.

The senate also think, that there will be less opportunity for the commission of fraud in the acknowledgment of deeds out of the state, if the power of taking the acknowledgment of them is restricted, as it now is, by the said bill.

The bill and amendments are therefore returned to your honourable body, with the hope and expectation that you will adopt the amendments made by the senate.

By order,

Wm. Kilty, Clk.

Which was read.

The bill directing the priority of payment of the debts of persons dying within this state, so far as the same relates to the state of Delaware, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall the said bill pass?

The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Speaker  
Millard  
Hawkins  
Gough  
Welch  
Boon  
Wickes  
Harris  
Gantt  
Maxcy  
Linthicum  
M Smith  
Rogerson  
Worthington  
Shower  
Turner  
M'Culloh  
Banning  
A. E. Jones

Teackle  
B I Jones  
Brown  
Ennalls  
Brohawn  
Eccleston  
Thomas  
Gilpin  
Harlan  
Beall  
Duvall  
Barrette  
Speed  
Ridgaway  
Hopper  
Hooper  
Parker  
S R Smith  
Mitchell

Cockey  
Sappington  
Farquhar  
Montgomery  
Sewell,  
Hall  
Keene  
Hughlett  
Howard  
Tyson  
Merrick  
Kershner  
Jacques  
Lansdale  
Willson  
Perry  
Blair  
Armstrong—56

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Kilgour  
Chapman

Garner  
Barnes

Kennedy  
Reid—6.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Kennedy, the following resolution was read:

Resolved, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to the levy court of Cecil county, or their order, ——— dollars, on the conviction of the murderer of Evelina Cunningham.

Mr. Speed moved the following as a substitute:

Resolved, That the governor of this state be and he is hereby authorized and requested, to offer a reward of one thousand dollars for the apprehension of the murderer of Evelina Cunningham, of Cecil county, to be paid on the conviction, in a court of justice, of the said murderer.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorized, to pay to the order of the governor of this state, the sum of one thousand dollars, for the purpose expressed in the foregoing resolution.

When the house adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.