

mico, Chester, Great Choptank, and other rivers in this state, under the act, entitled "An act for the promotion of internal improvement," passed March 6th 1826.

Mr. Thomas moved the following as a substitute:

"And be it enacted, That if the said board of public works shall be of opinion, that it is impracticable to make the canal from the city of Baltimore to York Haven, then the sum of \$500,000 authorised to be subscribed in said stock, shall be appropriated towards the improvement of the bed of the river Susquehanna, under the direction of the said board of public works."

Determined in the negative.

The question was then put on Mr. Lee's amendment? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.		
Messrs. Speaker	Turner	Kershner
Gough	Golbsborough	Lansdale
Chapman	A. E. Jones	Lee
Edelen	Teackle	Hughes
Shower	S. R. Smith	Willson—15
NEGATIVE.		
Messrs. Welch	Banning	Farquhar
Harris	Ennalls	Montgomery
Gantt	Douglas	Sewell
Linthicum	Harlan	Hall
Estep	Duvall	Howard
M. Smith	Speed	Tyson
Garner	Stevens	Merrick
Rogerson	Cockey	Kennedy—36
M'Culloh	Sappington	

Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Hughes, the following was added: "And be it enacted, That the subscription herein authorised, on the part of this state, shall not be made until the state of Pennsylvania shall assent to and confirm the charter, so that the same may have full effect and operation within the limits of that state."

On motion by Mr. Kennedy, the following was added:

"And be it enacted, That the governor and council be and they are hereby requested, to forward a copy of this act, without delay, to the governor of Pennsylvania."

The bill was then passed and sent to the senate.

The bill to authorise warranting on constables' bonds; the bill to authorise the recovery of certain costs in suits instituted on administration and guardian bonds; and the supplement to an act, entitled, An act to authorise a lottery to raise a sum of money to clear out the creeks leading to and from Upper Marlborough and Queen-Anne, in Prince George's county, were severally passed and sent to the senate.

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

Resolved, That the several clerks and registers mentioned in the act, entitled, An act to tax certain offices, at the time of making the returns required by that act, and the act to explain and amend the said act, shall certify, on oath, to the treasurer of the