

finger, Clark, Deets, Hutton, Radcliffe, Close, Critchfield, Graeff, Norris, of Carroll, Hoffacker, Walsh, Wolfe, Hanson, Waller, Roberts, Bennett, Wilson, Finzel.—78.

The Journal of the 13th inst. was read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND OTHER PAPERS.

Mr. Contee presented the memorial of W. H. Richardson et al., urging the passage of the Hyattsville water works bill.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Legislation.

ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Walsh, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Anderson, of Carroll county, be excused from attendance at to-day's session on account of important business.

On motion of Mr. Feldmeyer, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Phelps be excused from to-day's session on account of sickness.

On motion of Mr. Waters, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Buckey be excused on account of business.

On motion of Mr. Robinson, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Wm. L. Cover be excused from to-day's session on account of illness.

On motion of Mr. Gately, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Brown, of Baltimore city, be excused from to-day's session on account of business; and that Mr. Dunn be excused on account of illness.

On motion of Mr. Close, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Frenzel be excused from to-day's session on account of business.