

Mr. Bowie from the committee on internal improvement to which was referred the resolution relative to the survey of certain rivers above Watkins' point, and of Tangier Sounds, reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second and by special order the third time, assented to and returned to the House of Delegates.

On motion of Mr. Ricaud,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Ricaud, Goldsborough and Hambleton, to prepare and report a bill to be entitled, an act to abolish the Board of Commissioners of tax in Kent county, and to vest their powers and duties in the levy court of said county.

Mr. Jones presented the memorial of the Canton Company, praying an amendment of their charter,

Which was read and referred to the committee on corporations and joint stock companies.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The bill entitled, an act relating to the legislative department of the government of this State, and to repeal so much of the constitution and form of government as may be inconsistent with its provisions, was taken up for consideration.

It was being further read the second time, when

On motion of Mr. Jones,

The 3d section was reconsidered.

Mr. Jones moved to strike out the said third section and insert as follows:

And be it enacted, that from and after the first day of May 1838, the several counties of this State, and the city of Baltimore, shall constitute and be divided into seven districts, to be called Senatorial Districts, as follows: Alleghany, Washington and Frederick counties shall be the first district—Montgomery, Anne Arundel and Calvert counties shall be the second district—Prince Georges, Charles and St. Mary's counties shall be the third district—Carroll and Baltimore counties and Baltimore city shall be the fourth district—Harford, Cecil and Kent counties shall be the fifth district—Queen Anne's, Caroline and Talbot counties shall be the sixth district—Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester counties shall be the seventh district.

And at the time and places of holding elections in the