

mitted by him on the 9th instant, in favour of Benjamin Hopkins, of Prince George's county;

Mr. Alexander, moved to amend said resolution, by striking out the words, "slaves convicted in the courts of this State," and inserting in lieu thereof "servants for terms of years convicted in the courts of this State, and confined in the Penitentiary;"

Mr. Worthington, moved that said resolution and amendment be rejected,

Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill reported by Mr. Ely, entitled, an act to repeal a part of an act passed at November session 1798, entitled, an act to establish and incorporate a Medical and Chirurgical Faculty or society in the State of Maryland, and for other purposes, was taken up for consideration;

Mr. Richardson, offered as a substitute for said bill the following.

An act relating to the Botanic practice of medicine in the State of Maryland.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this act it may be lawful for the Botanic Physicians, generally known as Thompsonians, to practice their system in this State, and to charge and receive compensation for their services in the same manner as other physicians, provided they shall have received a certificate of qualification from some college, or board constituted for that purpose by the Thompsonian friendly Botanical Society of the State.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Which was read.

Mr. Gough, moved that said bill and substitute be rejected;

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Ely,

The yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows,

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Gantt, Speaker,	Culbreth
Price	Palmer
Hood	Dunbracco
Simmons	Fooks
Billingsley	Handy
Carpinter,	Powell
Gardiner	Maulsby
Risteau	Nelson