

disapproved by a majority of the voters who shall vote at the next general election for delegates to the General Assembly of Maryland, that is to say, if upon counting the ballots voted as aforesaid, it should appear that a majority of such ballots shall have thereon, written or printed, the words following, to wit:—"Against the law for abolishing imprisonment for debt."

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Giles, said amendment was amended by striking out in the first line, these words, "shall have no effect if it should be disapproved of," and inserting in lieu thereof the following—"no effect until it shall be approved."

Mr. Alexander moved to postpone said bill and amendment until 1st July next,

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Frazier moved to refer said bill and amendment to the consideration of the next General Assembly,

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Duke moved further to amend said amendment by adding at the end thereof the following—"and also all other laws or resolutions that have or may pass the legislature of a general character,"

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Duke, the yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows,—

AFFIRMATIVE.

Mr. Duke—1

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Tuck, Speaker

Hopewell

Causin

Ford

Crane

Usilton

Welch

Gale

Brown

Higgins

Simmons

Parran

Kent

Beall

Carpinter

Matthews

Orrick

Risteau

Ely

Turner of B. co.

Boyle, of Tal.

Jump, of Tal.

Jones

Carroll

Adams

Lemmon

Frazier

Eccleston

Tall

Parker

Evans

Simpers

Ghiselin

Swann

Roberts

Harrison

Wilmer

Townsend

Hearn

Powell

Biser

Geyer

Ent

Cramer

Williams

Forwood

Nelson

Maulsby

Carter

Boon

Jump, of Car.

Giles

Hillen

Gallagher

Swingley

Rentch

Witmer

Beam

Griffith

Dawson

Neff

Blocher

Sprigg

Boyle, of Car.

Shower

Berret

Powder—67