thereof as shall be exacted in gold and silver coin as aforesaid, by the holders of the said stocks.

Which was read;

On the question being put—will the house adopt the substitute? It was determined in the negative.

The question then recurred and was put on the amendment as offered by Mr. Giles—and

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said bill was then read the second time as amended, passed and sent to the senate.

On motion of Mr. Ely,

Ordered, that it be noted on the journal, that he was absent when the vote was taken upon the bill, entitled, an act for the better regulation of the Banking Institutions in this State. That if he had been present, he would have voted against the passage of said bill.

On motion of Mr. Kerr,

Ordered, that when this house adjourn, it stands adjourned sine die.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

Ordered, that the clerk of this house deliver to the Treasurer for the Western Shore, certain original documents which were reported to this house under an order of the house, passed in January last.

On motion of Mr. Kerr,

Ordered, that he have leave to withdraw from the files of the house, the petition and papers of Charles Johns.

On motion of Mr. Carroll,

Ordered, that John W. Parsons have leave to withdraw from the files of the house, the papers in relation to the services of a certain negro.

The clerk of the senate delivered the following message:

By the Senate,

March 30, 1838.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We respectfully ask your honorable body to return to the senate a resolution relative to the Printers' giving bond, which was dissented from by the senate on yesterday. The senate is desirous of reconsidering said resolution,

By order,

Hours on to some user and has conservery out them in which

Joseph H. Nicholson, clerk.

Which was read.

Mr. Hopewell submitted the following message, which was read, assented to, and with the resolution therein mentioned, sent to the senate.