

vered by indictment or action of debt in the county court of the county where the offence shall be committed, one half to the informer, and the other half to the use of the state."

On motion by Mr. Wilson, the question was put, That the blank in the first section of the said amendment be filled up with "twenty thousand dollars?" Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the question was put, That the said blank be filled up with "fifteen thousand dollars?" Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Digges, the blank in the second section of said amendment was filled up with the words "one hundred."

The question was then put, That the house adopt the amendment as amended? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Kell, the question was put, That the further consideration of said bill be postponed until Tuesday next? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Bradford, the question was put, That the house adopt the following order, viz: Ordered, that the bill, entitled, An act to impose a tax on the office of discount and deposit of the bank of the United States, established in the state of Maryland, be referred to the consideration of the next general assembly, and that the same be published with the votes and proceedings, together with the amendment offered thereto, for the consideration of the people?" Determined in the negative

On motion by Mr. Wilson, the following section was added to the bill, viz. "And be it enacted, That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after the first day of May next."

The bill having been read throughout, and amended. On motion by Mr. Wilson, the title was amended by striking out the words "the office of discount and deposit of the bank of the United States established in the state of Maryland," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "all banks or branches thereof in the state of Maryland not chartered by the legislature."

The question was then put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.					
Mr. Speaker	Weems	Johnson	Keene	Semmes	Tingle
Jones	Turner	Martin	Pearce	Claggett	Washington
Causin	Brawner	Stevens	Tyson	Harrison	Forrest
Eccleston	Garner	Carroll	Thomas	Wilson	Linthicum
Neale	Jenifer	Lecompte	Beard	Handy	Tomlinson
Hynson	Snowden	Griffith	Digges	Henry	Tidball
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NEGATIVE.					
Estep	R Dorsey	Tenant	Bradford	Kell	Schnebly
C Stewart	Price	Stephen	Davis	Woodyear	Kennedy
T H Dorsey	Showers	Hawkins	Saulsbury	Yates	
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So it was resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the senate.

The house according to the order of the day proceeded to the consideration of the bill from the senate, entitled, An act to alter and change such parts of the constitution and form of government as provide for the election of the council, and the manner and time of electing the governor.

The title of the bill having been read, on motion by Mr. Lecompte, the question was put, That the reading of the title of said bill be considered as the second reading? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the question was then put, That the said bill be rejected? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.					
Mr Speaker	Weems	Griffith	Beard	Handy	Washington
Jones	Turner	Keene	Digges	Henry	Forrest
Causin	Brawner	Pearce	Semmes	Tingle	Linthicum
Eccleston	Garner	Tyson	Claggett	Buckey	Tomlinson
Neale	Carroll	Thomas	Wilson	Gaither	Tidball
Hynson	Lecompte				
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NEGATIVE.					
Estep	Jenifer	Johnson	Stephen	Bradford	Woodyear
C Stewart	Price	Martin	Harrison	Steel	Yates
T H Dorsey	Showers	Stevens	W R Stewart	Davis	Schnebly
R. Dorsey	Snowden	Tenant	Hawkins	Kell	Kennedy
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So it was resolved in the affirmative, and the bill returned to the senate.

The house according to the order of the day proceeded to the second reading of the bill, entitled, An act to abolish all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the time and manner of electing the senate, and the mode of filling up vacancies in that body.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the question was put, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to the next general assembly? Determined in the negative.

The bill having been read throughout, the question was put, Shall the said bill pass? The yeas and nays being required as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.					
Eccleston	Price	Tenant	Semmes	Hawkins	Kell
Hynson	Showers	Tyson	Harrison	Bradford	Woodyear
Estep	Snowden	Thomas	W R Stewart	Steel	Schnebly
T H Dorsey	Johnson	Beard	Wilson	Davis	Kennedy
Weems	Martin	Digges	Handy	Saulsbury	Tomlinson
Turner	Stevens				
32					
NEGATIVE.					
Mr. Speaker	C Stewart	Jenifer	Pearce	Yates	Forrest
Jones	R Dorsey	Carroll	Claggett	Gaither	Linthicum
Causin	Brawner	Lecompte	Stephen	Washington	Tidball
Neale	Garner	Keene	Henry		
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So it was resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Griffith, the following order was read and adopted.