

affirmative. The question was then put, Shall the said bill pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the bill respecting an application for a road in Baltimore county court by Thomas Owings, endorsed "will not pass" A bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the executor of Joseph Thornburgh, of Baltimore county, endorsed "will pass;" which was read. And the following message:

BY THE SENATE, January 27, 1821.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We return you the bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Sarah Cahall, of Caroline county, and hope upon reconsideration you will pass the same.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.

Which was read.

The bill to regulate the inspection of flour in the city of Baltimore, was read the second time, and on motion by Mr. Maulsby, the question was put, That the whole of the said bill be stricken out? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE—Speaker, Millard, Steward, P. W. Hall, Wyvill, Beckett, Dalrymple, Stoddert, Edelen, Snowden, D. Martin, Hayward, N. Martin, S. Stevens, Dennis, Polk, W. Eccleston, Lake, J. S. Moffitt, Archer, T. Williams, Cross, Lyles, Boyle, Duvall, Wright, R. Stevens, R. Moffitt, Nicholson, Maulsby, Allen, Alderson, Hardcastle, Whitely, Barney, J. P. Kennedy, Gabby, T. Kennedy, Kershner, Bowles—40.

NEGATIVE—Key, Plater, Reeder, J. B. Eccleston, Brown, Marriott, Posey, Rogerson, King, Wilson, Parker, Selby, Warfield, M. Pherson, Cockey, Willis, Gaither, Harding, Darne, B. Forrest, Hilleary, Scott, Reid, Blair—21.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. B. Forrest, the question was put, that the following be inserted in lieu thereof: "That immediately after the passage of this act, it shall be the duty of the governor and council to appoint, in the manner that civil officers of this state are appointed, three inspectors of flour for the city of Baltimore, who shall hold their offices during good behaviour, subject to removal only on conviction in a court of justice of misconduct in their said office, and the said inspectors, before they enter upon the duties of their office, shall take the following oath or affirmation: "I do solemnly swear, or affirm, as the case may be, that I will without favour, affection or partiality, perform the duties assigned me, and will determine the quality of the flour submitted to the best of my skill and judgment." The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE—Key, Plater, J. B. Eccleston, Brown, Stoddert, Edelen, Posey, Rogerson, King, T. N. Williams, Wilson, Parker Selby, Warfield, M. Pherson, Cockey, Allen, Gaither, Harding, Darne, B. Forrest, Reid, Blair—22.

NEGATIVE—Speaker, Millard, Marriott, Steward, T. Hall, Wyvill, Beckett, Dalrymple, Snowden, D. Martin, Hayward, S. Stevens, Dennis, Polk, W. Eccleston, Lake, J. S. Moffitt, Archer, T. N. Williams, Cross, Lyles, Boyle, Duvall, Wright, R. Stevens, R. Moffitt, Nicholson, Maulsby, Alderson, Willis, Hardcastle, Whitely, Barney, J. P. Kennedy, Gabby, T. Kennedy, Kershner, Bowles, Hilleary, Scott—40.

Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. B. Forrest, the question was put, That the following be inserted: "That the inspectors of flour hereafter to be appointed for the city of Baltimore, shall hold their offices during good behaviour, or until they arrive at the age of sixty years, subject to removal only for misconduct in their said office on conviction in a court of justice" Determined in the negative

On motion by Mr. B. Forrest the same amendment was postponed, leaving thereout the words, "or until they arrive at the age of sixty years?" The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Key, Plater, Reeder, Boyer, Thomas, J. B. Eccleston, Brown, Stoddert, Edelen, Posey, Rogerson, Hayward, N. Martin, Dennis, King, Lecompte, T. N. Williams, Wilson, Parker, Selby, Warfield, M. Pherson, Cockey, Maulsby, Allen, Gaither, Harding, Darne, B. Forrest, Hilleary, Scott, Reid, Blair—33.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Speaker, T. W. Hall, Wyvill, Beckett, Dalrymple, Snowden, D. Martin, Polk, W. W. Eccleston, Lake, Archer, J. S. Moffitt, T. Williams, Cross, Lyles, Boyle, Duvall, Wright, R. Stevens, R. Moffitt, Nicholson, Alderson, Willis, Hardcastle, Whitely, Barney, J. P. Kennedy, Gabby, T. Kennedy, Kershner, Bowles.—31.

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. B. Forrest the following was added: "Provided, That upon the suggestion of the mayor and city council of Baltimore of the disqualification of any one of the said inspectors, by age or otherwise, the county court of Baltimore may enquire into the same, and upon the truth of the said suggestion, remove the said inspectors from office."

On motion by Mr. J. P. Kennedy, the question was put, That the following be added: "And be it enacted, That the wood corders, inspectors of fish, and inspectors of lumber, in the city of Baltimore shall henceforth be appointed by the mayor and council of the city of Baltimore, in the same manner that the inspectors of flour are appointed by virtue of this act, and that all laws vesting the said appointments in any other authorities of this state, are hereby repealed, so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act." Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. T. Kennedy, the question was put, That the following be added to the same: "And be it enacted, That this act shall be in full force from and after the first day of January next." Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. R. Stevens, the question was put, That the further consideration of the same be referred to the first day of June next? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.—Speaker, Millard, Marriott, T. W. Hall, Wyvill, Beckett, Dalrymple, Snowden, D. Martin, Hayward, N. Martin, S. Stevens, Lake, J. S. Moffitt, Archer, Wroth, T. Williams, Cross, Boyle, Duvall, Wright, R. Stevens, R. Moffitt, Nicholson, Allen, Alderson, Holbrook, Willis, Hardcastle, Whitely, Barney, J. P. Kennedy, Gabby, T. Kennedy, Kershner, Bowles.—36.

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