

shall be by him inspected, and no inspector or conder of wood shall demand or receive more than four cents per cord for any wood that shall be by him inspected "

Determined in the negative.

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

AFFIRMATIVE.—Speaker, Plater, Millard, Boyer, Thomas, J. B. Eccleston, Browne, T. W. Hall, Edelen, Rogerson, Showers, Snowden, Orrick, Dennis, King, Lecompte, J. S. Moffitt, Archer, T. Williams, Wright, Maulsby, Allen, Alderson, Norris, Gaither, Harding, Darne, B. Forrest—23.

NEGATIVE.—Key, Marriott, Stewart, Wyvill, Beckett, Dalrymple, N. Martin, Polk, W. Eccleston, Lake, Frazier, Cross, J. Forrest, Boyle, Duvall, R. Moffitt, Hardcastle, Whitely, Barney, J. P. Kennedy, T. Kennedy, Kershner, Reid, Blair—24.

Resolved in the affirmative and the bill returned to the senate.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following resolution:

Resolved by the general assembly of Maryland, That the commissioners of the school fund for Calvert county be and they are hereby directed, to report to the next general assembly the amount of money received by them in virtue of the act, entitled, An act for the distribution of a certain fund for the purpose of establishing free schools in the several counties therein mentioned, and the manner in which they have disposed thereof.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, Clk.

Which was read, dissented from, and returned to the senate.

A bill, entitled, An act relating to costs in causes removed for trial to a county where they did not originate; which was read the first and second time by especial order, and will not pass, and returned to the senate. A bill, entitled, An act respecting the bond to be given by the register of the court of chancery; which was twice read, passed, and returned to the senate. The further supplement to the act relating to insolvent debtors; the bill for the relief of Maria W. B. Beckwith; the bill for the relief of Lewis Helms; the bill for the benefit of John Barnes, severally endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed. The bill authorising the making a public landing at Dockerys point; the bill for the relief of sundry poor persons; the bill to authorise the levy court of Cecil county to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned; the bill to confirm the appointment of collector of the tax for Charles county, and for other purposes; and the bill authorising Job Smith, of Baltimore county, to remove a certain mulatto girl into the state, severally endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendment;" which amendments were read, assented to, and the bills ordered to be engrossed. The resolution relative to the discipline of infantry, endorsed "assented to with the proposed amendment;" which amendment was read. The resolution relative to the publishing the law relative to the stay of executions; the resolution relative to publishing the law relating to oysters; the resolution in favour of Captain Lewis Green; the resolution in favour of the clerk of Washington county; the resolution in favour of Daniel Schnebly; and the resolution in favour of the lottery commissioners, severally endorsed "assented to." The resolutions in favour of Jehu Chandler, and John Glanville, the resolution relative to the turnpike road from Boonsborough to Baltimore, and the resolution relative to the school fund in Calvert county, severally endorsed "dissented from." The bill authorising a lottery or lotteries for the purpose of finishing the Susquehanna Bridge; the bill to incorporate the president and managers of the Shot Tower Company; the bill to authorise a lottery to raise a sum of money for the purpose of cutting and opening a canal from the head of Black Water to the head of Parsons creek in Dorchester county; and the supplement to the act, entitled, An act to provide for the administration of justice in cases of crimes and misdemeanours in the city of Baltimore, severally endorsed "will not pass." The bill for the benefit of the Bank of Somerset in Princess Anne, in Somerset county, and a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of the free school in Anne-Arundel county, severally endorsed "will pass;" which were read. Also the engrossed bills from No. 129 to 133, inclusive, and from No. 160 to 163 inclusive, endorsed "read and assented to;" which were severally read, assented to, and returned to the senate.

Mr. Rogerson reports a bill, entitled, An act annulling the marriage of Basil Nelson, and Rosa his wife, of Charles county; which was read.

On motion by Mr. J. P. Kennedy, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act relating to Jones's Falls in the city of Baltimore. Ordered, That Messrs J. P. Kennedy, Barney and Boyle, report the same.

Mr. J. P. Kennedy reports said bill; which was twice read and will not pass.

The resolution relative to an amendment of the constitution of the United States proposed by Pennsylvania, was read the second time, assented to, and sent to the senate.

The bill for the relief of poor and distressed families in cases of execution for debt and distress for rent, was read the second time, amended, passed, and returned to the senate.

The bill to reduce into one system the several acts of assembly respecting elections, and to regulate said elections, was read the second time; on motion by Mr. Maulsby, the question was put, That the said bill be rejected? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.—Speaker, Marriott, T. W. Hall, Wyvill, Kent, Beckett, Dalrymple, Showers, Snowden, Orrick, N. Martin, S. Stevens, W. Eccleston, Lake, J. S. Moffitt, Archer, T. Williams, Cross, J. Forrest, Duvall, Wright, R. Moffitt, Maulsby, Allen, Alderson, Norris, Willis, Whitely, T. Kennedy, Kershner, Bowles—31.

NEGATIVE.—Key, Plater, Boyer, J. B. Eccleston, Brown, Edelen, Rogerson, Dennis, King, Polk, Lecompte, Parker, J. P. Kennedy, Gaither, Harding, Darne, B. Forrest, Reid, Blair—19.

Resolved in the affirmative and sent to the senate.

Mr. Boyle delivers the following report:

The committee of elections and privileges, to whom was referred a letter addressed to the honourable Mr. Speaker, declining to act as commissioners to take testimony respecting the contested Cecil election, report—That they have had the same under consideration, and are of opinion that the session is too advanced to proceed further thereon.

By order,

R. BENNETT, Clk.

Which was read and concurred with.