

Mr. Teackle moved to insert after the word "examine" the words "into the business before both houses, and report thereon, with a view to the adjournment of the legislature." Determined in the negative.

The message was then assented to and sent to the senate.

On the second reading of the bill to alter and amend the several acts of assembly authorising the issuing certificates of freedom to persons of colour, Mr. B. I. Jones moved to refer the same to the first of June.

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

## Messrs. Kilgour

Turner

Banning

Spencer

Millis

A E Jones

Teackle

B. I. Jones

Ennalls

Brohawn

Thomas

Grubb

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Gilpin

Harlan

Speed

Ridgaway

Hopper

Sudler

Hooper

Parker

S R Smith

Cockey

Barnes

Sappington

Farquhar

Montgomery

Williams

Hall

Keene

Saulsbury

Hughlett

Howard

Tyson

Jacques

Hughes

Reid—36

## Messrs. Speaker

Welch

Boon

Wickes

Harris

Estep

Beckett

Chapman

## NEGATIVE.

Rogerson

Edelen

Worthington

Shower

M'Culloh

Goldsborough

Douglas

Eccleston

Beall

Barrette

Stevens

Merrick

Lee

Willson

Perry—23

Resolved in the affirmative.

The report on the petition of John Hanna was read the second time, and the resolution dissented from.

On the second reading of the bill to create a board of public works, Mr. Tyson moved to strike out the words in the preamble 'most of the intelligent citizens of Maryland have justly represented to this.' Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Tyson, the words 'it is the opinion of,' were inserted in lieu thereof.

Mr. Williams moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Williams called for the previous question, and it was put, that is, Shall the main question on striking out be now put? The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow:

## Messrs. Welch

Wickes

Harris

Linthicum

Beckett

Worthington

Shower

Turner

Banning

Millis

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Ennalls

Brohawn

Douglas

Eccleston

Thomas

Grubb

Gilpin

Harlan

Speed

Ridgaway

Hopper

Hooper

S. R. Smith

Mitchell

Montgomery

Williams

Hall

Keene

Hughlett—29