

they have taken the same into their most serious consideration ; and are of opinion that the facts therein set forth are not sufficient to authorise an interference in his behalf, on the part of the legislature ; and that the petitioner have leave to withdraw his petition. All which is submitted.

By order,

S. BRADFORD, Clk.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, and concurred with.

Mr. Bærstler delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Washington county, praying for amendments to the militia law ; which was read and referred to the committee appointed for that purpose.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the report of the committee appointed to report rules. On motion by Mr. Bowles the question was put, That the words "and remain uncovered until the house rises," be added to the second rule? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Forwood the question was put, That the words "and no original paper shall be delivered to any person during the recess of the legislature," be stricken out of the 28th rule? Determined in the negative.

On motion by M. Emory the question was put, That the house reconsider the 2d rule? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the house concur with the said report?

The yeas and nays being required appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

<i>Messrs.</i>	Grahame	Tenant	T. N Williams	T B Hall
R. Neale	Emerson	Waller	Quinton	Downey
Graves	Rogerson	Groome	Snriver	A Jones
Boyer	Parnham	Claude	Sanders	Owens
Spencer	Stonestreet	Burgess	Willis	Evans
Marriott	Randall	Miers	Tillotson	Cresap
A. Dorsey	Brown	Little	Jump	Howard—56.
Z. Duval	Wainwright			

NEGATIVE.

<i>Messrs.</i>	Dooris	T. Williams	Swearingen	Bowles
Reynolds	Smoot	L. Duval	Forwood	Bærstler
Harryman	Griffith	Emory	H. Hall	Blair
Stevens	Veazey	Tyler	Bayard	Tomlinson—19.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The clerk of the senate delivers the supplement to an act passed at November session eighteen hundred and nine entitled, An act concerning crimes and punishments, endorsed "will pass"—ordered to be engrossed.

On motion by Mr. Wainwright, leave given to bring in a bill entitled, An act to incorporate a manufacturing company in Talbot county on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. *Ordered,* That Messrs.