

pose of inserting the words "and hope upon re consideration you will pass the same?" Resolved in the affirmative. The question was then put, That the house assent to the same? Resolved in the affirmative, and with the bill sent to the senate.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the bill to regulate and discipline the militia. The four first amendments were severally agreed to. The question was then put, That the house assent to the fifth amendment?

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow :

**AFFIRMATIVE.**

<i>Messrs.</i>	Harryman	Smoot	T. Jones	Jump
Frisby	Brown	Craude	Street	Pichin
Spencer	Stevens	L Duvall	H Hall	Donaldson
Marriott	Wainwright	Emory	Willis	Bœrstler
Z. Duvall	Tenant	Little	Bayard	Tominson—27.
Randall	Ennalls	Swearingen		

**NEGATIVE.**

<i>Messrs.</i>	Reynolds	Long	Callis	Evans
R. Neale	Grabame	Guffith	Wilson	Blair
Plater	Ireland	G oome	Handy	Cresap
Belt	Parnham	T Williams	Bowles	Howard—28.
A. Dorsey	C Dorsey	F Hall	A. J n s	

*So it was resolved in the affirmative.*

The residue of the amendments were agreed to and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Donaldson delivers the following report :

THE Committee to whom was referred the bill "To incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the city of Baltimore to the district of Columbia, toward the city of Washington," and the memorial of Edward Norwood, counter to the said bill, beg leave to Report, That they have taken the same into consideration, and have carefully examined the plot of the present road, and also the plot of the road contemplated to be laid out by said bill. Your committee are unanimously of an opinion that the present change in the road is not necessary, and that the said bill should not receive the sanction of the legislature in its present form. Your committee further report, That they are of an opinion that the road at present passes over the best ground, and that the same could not be materially shortened, and that if the present rout was changed, it would leave Norwood's ferry, M'Coy's tavern (the property of George Calvert,) Vansville, the White House (the property of Lorman and Smith,) Richard Ross' tavern and Bladensburg. Your committee further report, That the proprietors of the property aforesaid have made their settlements, expended large sums of money in improvements which derive their only value from being situated on the present road, the whole of which will be destroyed if the road is changed. Your committee are of an opinion that the private rights of individuals should not be sa-