

Also, delivers the engrossed bills from No. 1 to No. 138 inclusive, severally assented to by that house Dec. 26, 1811.

The senate proceeded agreeably to their resolution to the second reading of the bill entitled, An act for the opening and extending of Pratt street in the city of Baltimore; and on progression in reading said bill, the question was put, Shall this bill be re-committed to a special committee with power to send for persons, papers and records?

The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

— AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Bruce, Frazier, Hawkins, Holbrook, Tabbs and N. Williams—6.

— NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Thomas, (president) Brown, Dorsey, L. Hollingsworth, W. Hollingsworth, Lloyd and MacCreery.—7.

*So it was determined in the negative.*

On further progression, the question was put, Will the senate receive the following as amendments, viz.

1st. After the word "Stiles" in the last line but one of the 1st page, insert "Henry Payson, Amos A. Williams, Andrew Clopper, Thomas Tenant, Samuel Briscoe, Henry Stouffer."

2d. Strike out from the word "street" in the 2d line of the 2d page to the word "and" in the 3d line of the same page, and insert "from Light street eastwardly to the lower bridge on Jones' falls, which shall be done as follows: from Light street to Franklin lane said street shall continue the direction and width which it has on the west side of Light street; from Franklin lane to Gay street the said street shall remain as it now is, except that the three houses on the north side adjacent to Gay street shall have their fronts taken away to a line with the fronts of those houses between them and Franklin lane; from Gay-street to Frederick street, Pratt-street shall be made straight and not less than fifty-six feet wide; from Market Space to Frederick street, the south side of Pratt-street shall remain as it is, and the north side shall be in a line with the fronts of the houses adjacent to Market Space; and from Market-Space to Jones' Falls, the street shall remain as it now is."

3rd. After the word "Baltimore" in the tenth line of the second page insert, "and the ground which lies on the south side of said street so laid out, and on the west side of Franklin lane and adjacent thereto to the water shall become part of the basin of Baltimore, and the buildings thereon removed, and the same deepened to the depth of the adjacent part of the basin."

4th. After the word "they" in the twelfth line of the second page insert "or a majority of them?" Resolved in the affirmative.