

made to appear, or shown in evidence, by any person disputing such fact.

Determined in the affirmative.

On motion the question was put, will the Senate receive the following as an amendment, viz:—

Insert as an additional section—

*And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to relate to, or effect in any way, any principal or principals, or owner or owners, proprietor or proprietors of any goods, wares or merchandize, who shall reside within this state. Determined in the affirmative.

The bill as amended was then ordered, to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Orrell, from the committee to whom was referred, the bill for changing part of the divisional line between Dorchester and Caroline counties, reported that the committee, had had the same under consideration and were of opinion that it ought to pass, with the following amendments, viz.

Amendments proposed. After the word "commissioners," in the third line, first section, insert the words "and they."

Strike out all that follows after the word, "change" in the same line, and insert as follows, "and alter so much of the public road, which now divides the counties of Dorchester and Caroline, as passes through the land of the said Mark Noble, in the most convenient manner, and in such direction as shall best promote the convenience of the public, as well as the convenience of the said Mark Noble; and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners or a majority of them, to cause so much of the old road and divisional line aforesaid as may be necessary, to be laid down by a surveyor and; also, such alteration as they or a majority of them may make in said road, shewing in what manner the alteration is made, and to return a plot thereof with the surveyors certificate thereon, to the levy courts of Dorchester and Caroline counties, and if the levy courts aforesaid, shall approve of the alteration made and certified as aforesaid, the same shall be recorded by the clerks of the respective county courts of Dorchester and Caroline, and thence forward the said new road, shall be held and considered as a part of the public road and divisional line between the said counties of Dorchester and Caroline, and shall be kept in repair in the same manner as the said public road and divisional line has been, and is now kept in repair.

*And be it enacted,* That all the expense which shall accrue in making the alteration of the road as aforesaid, and recording the same, shall be paid by the said Mark Noble;" which amendments were read and assented to. The bill was then read a second and by special order a third time, passed with the proposed amendments, and returned to the house of delegates.