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The senate would be willing to purchase the existing numbers of the Register, believing the work as far as it has gone, would be useful to the legislature, but they deem it unadvisable to become permanent subscribers to it, as it is possible its character may change, and as it may cease to be as useful as it now is.—The senate would have amended your resolution by expunging the part of it which relates to the subsequent numbers of the work, but they doubted their constitutional power to make such an amendment. After some discussion, the question was put, “will the senate assent to the message.”—The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Dennis,	Heath,	Johnson,	Marriott,
Sewell,	Spence,	Thomas.	7.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Lloyd, Prest.	Forrest,	Herbert,	Harrison,
Kennedy,	Nelson,	Rees,	Whitely.—8

Determined in the negative.

The senate proceeded to the consideration of the order of the day, being the bill to establish magistrates courts in the several counties of this state, for the trial of assaults, and assaults and batteries, and the same being read a third time, the question was put, “shall the bill pass?” The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow.—

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Thomas,	Whiteley.—2
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NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Lloyd, Prest.	Dennis,	Forrest,	Heath,	Herbert,
Harrison,	Johnson,	Marriott,	Kennedy,	Nelson,
Sewell,	Spence.			12.

Determined in the negative.

The supplement to an act passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty three, entitled, an act to repeal an act passed at November session, eighteen hundred and twelve, was on motion, referred to Messrs. Herbert, Thomas, and Forrest.

The clerk of the house of delegates, delivered a resolution relative to a military academy at Fredericktown. A resolution in favour of Thomas Harwood, of Prince George's coun-