

far as relates to Princ-George's county, were read the second time, and assented to.

On motion of Mr. Herbert the bill was further amended by striking out the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty" in the 5th line of the 1st. section.

The said bill was then read a second, and by special order a third time, and passed with the proposed amendments.

The senate proceeded to the election of directors on the part of the state, in the several banks. The ballot box being prepared, the ballots were deposited therein, sealed up, and delivered to the committee on the part of the senate appointed to meet the committee on the part of the house of delegates, to unite in counting the ballots, who retired to the conference room, and after some time returned and reported, that there were seventy-four votes given in all; and that on counting the same, they had found, that for the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore. Francis Neale had fifty-two votes, Thomas Mummy had twenty-eight votes, and William Heald had nineteen votes. For the Farmers Bank of Maryland, George Wells had fifty-two votes, and Nicholas Brewer, jun, had fifty-one votes. For the Branch Bank of the Farmers Bank of Maryland at Easton, William Clarke had fifty-two votes. James Price had fifty-two votes. For the Elkton Bank, Adam Whann had fifty-two votes. And for the Hagers-Town Bank, John Van Lear, jun. had fifty-one votes, and John Walgamot had fifty-three votes, and that there were eighteen blanks.

Whereupon it was declared in the senate that Francis Neale, and Thomas Mummy for the Mechanic's Bank of Baltimore; George Wells and Nicholas Brewer, jun. for the Farmers Bank of Maryland, James Price and Willian Clarke, for the Branch Bank at Easton; Adam Whann for the Elkton Bank, and John Van Lear jun. and John Walgamot, for the Hagers-Town Bank, were duly elected directors on the part of the state in the several banks above mentioned for and during the present year.

Mr. Harrison from the committee made a favourable report upon the bill, entitled, An act to abolish the levy court, and provide for the election, by the people, of commissioners for Talbot county, and prescribing their powers and duties.

The said bill was then read a second time.

The senate adjourned until to-morrow morning ten o'clock.