

ought to pass, with the following amendment; which was read and assented to:

At the end of the 2nd section, strike out all after the word "paid," and insert in lieu thereof, the words "by the owners of said lots or parcels of land."

The bill was then read the second time.

12 o'clock having arrived, the Senate proceeded to the election of a Bank Director on the part of the State, in the Farmer's and Merchant's Bank of Baltimore. The ballot box being prepared the ballots were deposited therein, sealed up and delivered to Messrs. Hughlett and Emory, the committee appointed to meet the committee appointed by the house of delegates to count the ballots and report the result. They retired to the conference room and after some time returned, and reported, that on examination of the ballot box, they found there were 69 votes taken in all; of which Thomas Mummy received 57 votes, Nicholas Brewer, Sen. 1 vote, John Hillen 2 votes, Isaac Bradley 2 votes, W. G. Tuck 1 vote, and there were seven blanks.

Whereupon it was declared in the Senate, that Thomas Mummy is duly elected a Director on the part of the State in the Farmer's and Merchant's Bank of Baltimore, for and during the present year.

The President laid before the Senate, the memorial of James D. Woodside, praying compensation for services rendered in raising the Statue of Washington, to the summit of the Washington Monument; which was read, and referred to the house of delegates.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the orders of the day.

The bill entitled an act to divorce Ann H. Drake from her husband Matthew Drake. Was read the third time; And

On motion of Mr. Mayer, the question was put, "Shall the bill lay on the table?" It was determined in the negative.

Mr. Dennis, then offered the following amendment; which was read: Strike out all the bill after the enacting clause, and insert the words, "that from and after the passage of this act Ann H. Drake and Matthew Drake, her husband, be divorced from bed, board and mutual cohabitation."

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a petition and certain resolutions.

The Senate adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.