

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Groome,
Pigman,

Osborn,
Wootton,—4.

So it was determined in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Groome,

The following amendment was read.

In the 20 line, of the first section, after the word
“sale.”

Strike out the words “and that they are slaves for
life;” and insert:

“And provided also, that if the said slaves so removed,
shall be slaves for a term of years only, then and in that
case they shall be placed and considered at the expira-
tion of their term of service in the same condition as
slaves for life who may be manumitted at this time and
placed and considered under the acts entitled, an act re-
lating to the People of Color of this state, passed at De-
cember session 1831, and be subject to the same dis-
abilities as are imposed by the said acts upon such slaves
for life so as aforesaid now or hereafter to be manumitted.”

After some debate,

On motion of Mr. Sappington,

The bill and amendment were ordered to lie on the
table.

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

FRIDAY, January 31, 1834.

The senate met. Present the same members as on