

The following amendment was read and assented to:

Strike out the title of the bill, and insert as follows:

“An act for the benefit of George W. Cummins, and Jacob Raymond, administrators of John Cummins, of the state of Delaware.”

On the further motion of Mr. Wilson,

The bill was read the third time by special order, passed and returned to the house of delegates.

Mr. Emory from the committee on colored population to which was referred the bill entitled, a further supplement to an act entitled, an act relating to free negroes and slaves, with the amendments proposed to said bill by the house of delegates, reported that the committee had had said bill and amendments under consideration and were of opinion the amendments ought to be assented to:

They were read,

And the question put,

“Shall the said amendments be assented to,”

The yeas and nays were asked for, and on taking them, they appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Forrest, (Prest.)	Page,
Chapman,	Sappington,
Emory,	Wilson,—6.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Claude,	Hughlett,
Groome,	Montgomery,—4.

So it was determined in the affirmative.

The bill was then read as amended and passed.