

the several counties of this state are directed to proceed against collectors and their securities, and there shall be similar proceedings and similar remedy for the recovery of the same."

Mr. Jones, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act respecting the roads of Somerset and Worcester counties; which was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Chapman, from the committee, brings in and delivers to the speaker a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate and discipline the militia of this state; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill to separate the civil and criminal business of Baltimore county from that of Baltimore city, and to continue an act of assembly therein mentioned, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

A memorial from George Rafin, of Kent county, counter to the petition of Ebenezer Perkins, and others, was preferred and read.

On motion, the question was put, That this house will sit for the dispatch of public business, during the remainder of the session, from 9 o'clock in the morning until three post meridiem, and from 6 o'clock in the evening till 9 o'clock? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E,				
Messrs	Greenwell,	Bourne,	Worthington,	Wallace,	Montgomery,	Riley,
	Angier,	Brome,	Jones,	Addison,	M'Comas,	Summers,
	Comegys,	Merryman,	Craig,	J Brown,	Smith,	Tomlinson,
	J. C. Thomas,	Carroll,	Hollingsworth,	Wilson,	Dorsey,	Rice. 25.
		N E G A T I V E.				
Messrs	Brogden,	Thomas, Chas.	Harwood,	Duckett,	Emory,	Bond,
	Hall,	T. Buchanan,	Hyland,	Calvert,	Warfield,	P. Magruder,
	Emerson,	Sherwood,	S. Frazier,	Quynn,	Thomas, Fred.	R. Magruder,
	Chapman,	Martin,	Miller,	Nicholson,	Bruce,	Clarke. 29.
	Parnham,	Kerr,	Matthews,	C. Frazier,	Jarrett,	

So it was determined in the negative.

On the second reading the bill to incorporate a company for the purpose of cutting and making a canal between the river Delaware and the Chesapeake bay, the question was put, That the words "for ever," in the preamble of the said bill, be struck out? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E.				
Messrs.	J. C. Thomas,	Emerson,	Worthington,	Hollingsworth,	Jarrett,	Smith,
	Brogden,	Merryman,	Jones,	Wallace,	M'Comas,	Dorsey. 17.
	Hall,	Carroll,	S. Frazier,	Montgomery,	Bond,	
		N E G A T I V E.				
Messrs	Greenwell,	Parnham,	Harwood,	Calvert,	Wilson,	R. Magruder,
	Angier,	Thomas, Chas.	Hyland,	Quynn,	Warfield,	Summers,
	Godman,	T. Buchanan,	Craig,	Nicholson,	Thomas, Fred.	Clarke,
	Taney,	Sherwood,	Matthews,	J. Brown,	Bruce,	Tomlinson,
	Bourne,	Martin,	Addison,	C. Frazier,	Riley,	Rice. 35.
	Chapman,	Kerr,	Duckett,	Emory,	P. Magruder,	

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion, the question was put, That the following clause be received as an amendment to the said bill? "And provided also, that the said canal or cross-cut shall not be cut or used before an act or acts of the legislature of the state of Pennsylvania shall pass, appropriating such sum or sums of money as shall be deemed sufficient by the governor of this state for the purpose of clearing and removing the obstructions to the navigation in the river Susquehanna above the Maryland line to Wright's ferry." The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E.				
Messrs	Angier,	Hall,	Carroll,	Hollingsworth,	Quynn,	Bond,
	Comegys,	Emerson,	Worthington,	Wallace,	Montgomery,	Smith,
	J. C. Thomas,	Brome,	Jones,	Matthews,	M'Comas,	Dorsey. 20.
	Brogden,	Merryman,				
		N E G A T I V E.				
Messrs	Greenwell,	Parnham,	Harwood,	Nicholson,	Thomas, Fred.	Summers,
	Godman,	Thomas, Chas.	Hyland,	J. Brown,	Bruce,	Clarke,
	Taney,	Sherwood,	Addison,	C. Frazier,	Riley,	Tomlinson,
	Bourne,	Martin,	Duckett,	Emory,	P. Magruder,	Rice. 29.
	Chapman,	Kerr,	Calvert,	Warfield,	R. Magruder,	

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion, the question was put, That the following clause be received as an amendment to the said bill? "And be it enacted, That this act, nor any part thereof, shall be put in execution until the government of Pennsylvania, or some of the citizens thereof, shall clear, or cause to be cleared, the bed of the river Susquehanna from Wright's ferry to the Maryland line, at least one hundred and fifty feet wide, so that boats and rafts of plank and timber shall be able at all times to pass between the breaking up of the ice in the spring of the year until the last day of June." The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E.				
Messrs	Angier,	Godman,	Merryman,	Jones,	Quynn,	Bond,
	J. C. Thomas,	Emerson,	Carroll,	Hollingsworth,	Montgomery,	Smith,
	Brogden,	Bourne,	Worthington,	Wallace,	M'Comas,	Dorsey. 22.
	Hall,	Brome,	Harwood,	Matthews,		
		N E G A T I V E.				