line thereof, these words, "two of whom at least shall be persons of sound legal knowledge."

Mr. Brawner offered as a substitute to the amendment, to come in after the words "that from and after the passage of this act, the following: "The original act to which this is a supplement shall not be so construed as to make it the duty of the governor and council to commission persons of the profession of the law as commissioners of insolvent debtors for the city and county of Baltimore.

Mr. Wootton then moved, that the further consideration of the bill be postponed in being put,

On the question thereon definitely, it was resolved in the affirmative.

The year and nays being required, appeared as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Keene Messrs. Thomas, Speaker Steele Hawkins Gantt Blakistone Duvall Gough Wootton Moffett Claude Brown of Kent Brewer Wallis Brown of Q. A. Piner Spence Kent Purnell Stockett Mitchell Brawner M'Elfresh Jenifer Nicholas Chapman. Merrick Rogerson Willson Hughlett Lee Dickinson Shaw I u isy **Reid—37** Ballard Hicks

NEGATIVE.

Kemp Hood / M·Kinstrey Mackall Montgomery Smith Moores Ely Amos Holmes Watters Denny Charles Teackle Hardcastle \mathbf{B} ell Wright Jones Hunt Evans, Kershner Biles