

off as free—and further, that it would be throwing additional burthens upon a class of persons, a large portion of whom are now scarcely able to procure the common necessities of life; all of which is respectfully submitted,

BENEDICT J. HEARD, Chairman.

By order,

Benjamin Seegar, Clerk.

Which were read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Brown submitted the following order;

“Ordered, that the Armorer be requested to hoist the national flag tomorrow morning at ten o’clock, on the steeple of the State House, and to continue it until the house adjourns, and hoist it in like manner every day during the present session of the General Assembly.”

Which was twice read.

On the question being put, on the adoption of said order, It was determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Brown, the yeas and nays were ordered, and appeared as follows:

**AFFIRMATIVE.**

Messrs. Gantt, Speaker	Winder
Heard	Traverse
Dunkinson	Duckett
Carroll of St Mary’s	Ford
Ridgely	Spence
Hood	Hearn
Mercer	Gilliss
Weems	Boyd
Duke	Sutton
Dulany	Gough
Spalding	Nelson
Ely	Burchenal
Brown	Wharton
Carroll of Balt. Co.	McMahon—28

**NEGATIVE.**

Messrs. Lassell	Palmer
Primrose	Larrimore
Kirby of Kent	Hemsley
Miller	Kirby of Queen Ann’s
Iglehart	Willis
Wailes	Annan
Carpenter	Duvall
Hambleton	Shriver
Dudly	Carter