

On motion of Mr. Weems said amendment was amended, by striking out the word 'towards,' and inserting in lieu thereof, the following, 'or secured in such manner as shall be approved by the Treasurer for.'

The question then recurred upon the amendment as amended.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house was called and the doorkeeper sent for the absent members, who after a short time had elapsed, returned and reported, that in obedience to order he had notified the absent members that their attendance in the house was required.

The question was then put, will the house adopt the amendment as amended,

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Duckett, the yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows—

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Carroll of St. Mary's	Henderson
Iglehart	Pratt
Hood	Worthington
Kent	Bryan
Wailes	Brewer
Weems	Duckett
Duke	Larrimore
Carpenter	Spence
Hambleton	Whitelock
Dudley	Hearn
Bruff	Gilliss
Mulliken	Boyd
Ford	Sutton
Brohawn	Gough
Bayly	Nelson
McCullough	Gittings
Nowland	Darby
Townsend	Trundle—36

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Gantt, Speaker	Kirby of Q. Anns,
Heard	Williss
Fowler	Annan
Dunkinson	Duvall
Lassell	Shriver
Primrose	Carter
Kirby, of Kent	Turner
Miller	Burchenal