

Mr. Selby submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the committee appointed on the affairs of the Eastern Shore Rail Road Company, be instructed to report to this house without delay, such facts and testimony already before said committee, as are material and would enable this house to determine whether the terms of the resolution passed at the last session of the Legislature in relation to the paying up of instalments of the stock by the private stockholders in the said rail road company bona fide in cash, have been fully complied with by all of said private stockholders;

Which was read.

Mr. Spencer moved to amend the said order by striking out all after the word "instructed" and inserting the following, "to proceed with the inquiries submitted to them in the usual course, by examination of witnesses and otherwise;"

Which was read.

Mr. Martin moved to lay the whole subject on the table;

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Le Grand moved the previous question, and being demanded by a majority of the members present, the main question was then put, will the house adopt the said amendment?

On motion of Mr. Spencer,

The yeas and nays were required and appear as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Coad	Lloyd	Maccubbin
Blakistone	Martin	Spencer
Shaw	Winder	Wilmer
Welch, of K.	Frazier	Temples
Ridgely	Tall	Sangston
Estep	Foard	Mason
Risteau	Cameron	Newcomer
Stansbury	Heckart	Crabbs—26
Holmes	Sprigg	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Owens	Hearn	Gallagher
Hammond	Biser	Byer
Dalrymple	Simmons	Kepler
Hellen	Firor	Gaither
Bruce	Sutton	Waters
Poultney	Polk	Dade
Welsh, of B.	Thawley	England
Humphreys	Giles	Berry
Welch, of A.	Legrand	Parke
Selby	Graves	Hook
Spence	Seidenstricker	Mr. Speaker—33.

So the house refused to adopt the amendment.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the order, and being put,