

On motion of Mr. Selby,
The yeas and nays were required and appear as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Owens	Spence	Newcomer
Hammond	Hearn	Byer
Dalrymple	Biser	Kepler
Hellen	Simmons	Gaither
Bruce	Firor	Waters
Poultney	Sutton	Dade
Welsh of B.	Polk	England
Risteau	Thawley	Berry
Stansbury	Giles	Crabbs
Holmes	Legrand	Parke
Humphreys	Graves	Hook
Welch of An.	Seidenstricker	Mr. Speaker—38.
Selby	Gallagher	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Coad,	Martin	Sprigg
Blackistone	Winder	Maccubbin
Shaw	Frazier	Spencer
Welsh of K.	Tall	Wilmer
Ridgely	Foard	Temples
Estep	Cameron	Sangston
Lloyd	Heckart	Mason—21.

So the order was adopted.

The Secretary of State delivered the following communication from his Excellency the Governor:

January 29th, 1840.

To the House of Delegates:

In compliance with your order of this date, I communicate copies of the correspondence between General Williams and myself, in relation to the disturbances which occurred last summer, on the line of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal. I have no other information on this subject, than what is contained in the correspondence.

WM. GRASON.

Which were read, and on motion of Mr. Berry, referred to a select committee of five;

Whereupon the Speaker appointed Messrs Berry, Mason, Newman, Kepler and Sprigg.

The Speaker announced that the hour had arrived to take up the order of the day, being the resolutions submitted by Mr. Gaither in reference to the public lands on the 9th instant;

Which were read.

Mr. Humphreys moved the following as a substitute for said resolutions:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the public domain, so far as it is limited by the treaty of peace, sign-