

missioners of Allegany county, to levy a tax on dogs in said county.

Which was read the second time.

Mr. Bannon, from Select Committee, reported favorably, House bill entitled an Act to amend and alter the charter of the city of Annapolis.

Which was read the second time.

The President announced the unfinished business to be the House bill entitled an Act making appropriations for the support of the State Government for the year ending 31st of December, 1876.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendment heretofore submitted by Mr. Suit, as follows:

Page 3, printed bill, under the head of "Inspectors," strike out all after the word "the" down to the word "five," in first line.

Which was rejected by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Brewer,	Mudd,
Duke,	Newcomer,
Dennis,	Phelps,
Freeman,	Steiner,
Lawrence,	Suit—10.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. President,	Hepbron,
Aydelotte,	Humphreys,
Bannon,	Lee,
Cooper,	Lloyd,
Ford,	McCulloh,
Getty,	Stevens,
Gorman,	Walsh—14.

Mr. Suit submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Line 2, strike out "two thousand five hundred," and insert "fifteen hundred."

Which was rejected.

Mr. Duke submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Line 3, under the head of "Inspectors," insert, "seventeen-thousand dollars for the payment of the Clerks of the Tobacco Warehouses in the City of Baltimore."

Which was rejected by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Duke,	Suit—2.
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