

Mr. Carter moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill.

Mr. Brashears demanded the yeas and nays.

The demand was sustained.

The yeas and nays were called, and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.—Messrs. Speaker, Strong, Wilson, Donaldson, Sappington, of Anne Arundel, Ireland, Lane, Hamilton, Jr., Monmonier, Meredith, Smith, of Dorchester, Miles, Kirk, Hill, Perrie, Wallen, Hayman, Bevard, Hayward, Stearns, Fitzgerald, Brennan, Fox, Carter, Field, Bowie, of Baltimore city, O'Connor, Gallagher, Sams, Sanders, Frincke, Carr, Cornthwaite, Joyce, Smith, of Washington, Shafer, Haines, Sellman, Berret, Leeds, Haslup, Laws, Moore, Bittinger, Michaels—46.

NEGATIVE.—Messrs. Brashears, Orrick, Cole, Collins, Anderson, Bryan, McSherry, Gaver, Grove, of Frederick, Sappington, of Frederick, Thompson, Laird—12.

So the motion to strike out the enacting clause prevailed.

Mr. Thompson, from the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries, reported favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to regulate the taking of oysters in certain waters of the State.

Which was considered.

Mr. Smith submitted the following proposed amendment:

#### AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

In line 5, section 1, strike out "Billy's Island Point," and insert "Pone Point on lower end of Bloodsworth Island."

Which was adopted.

Which was read a second time, and ordered engrossed for a third reading.