

Messrs. Bailey, Berthelot, Dupont, Hart, Hawkins, Marvin, Walker and Wright, 8. So it was rejected. On motion the resolution was ordered to be laid on the table.

On motion the Senate adjourned till to-morrow 12 o'clock.

TUESDAY, January 29th, 1839.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and yesterday's proceedings were read.

The House sent to the Senate the report of the joint standing committee on enrolled bills, as follows:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
JANUARY 28th, 1839. }

(Extract from the Journal.)

Mr. Dozier, from the joint committee on enrollments, reported as correctly enrolled.

An act to incorporate the Oscilla Academy, and an act to authorize Simeon Driggers to establish a ferry over the Withlacoochee river, in the county of Madison; which were signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Att.

JOS. B. LANCASTER,

Clerk H. R.

Also a memorial to Congress in relation to the defence of the frontier, and the termination of the present Indian war; which was read and placed among the orders of to-day.

Mr. Berthelot offered the following resolution, viz: Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives that the committee on banks be instructed to inquire into the situation of certain bank charters, that now lie dormant, and that said committee have leave to report, by bill or otherwise, whether said bank charters ought not to be declared forfeited for non-user; which was read.

The resolution offered on yesterday by Mr. Berthelot was laid on the table and copies ordered.

Mr. Mills offered the following resolution, viz: Resolved, that the foregoing resolutions be referred to the committee on banks, with instructions to report whether any circumstances have transpired to warrant the proposed investigation, and if so, to report a suitable resolution on the subject, which was read, and laid on the table.

The resolution of Mr. Bailey, in reference to nominations, was again read and laid on the table.

The resolution before offered by Mr. Wright to increase the number of Senators to fifteen, was again read, for which Mr. Berthelot offered the following substitute, viz: Resolved, that a joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives be appointed for the purpose of taking into consideration the fourth section of the act of Congress entitled "an act to reorganize the Legislative Coun-

cil of Florida and for other purposes," approved July 7th, 1839 and that said committee have leave to report, by bill or otherwise which was rejected. On motion the resolution was laid on the table.

The Senate went into committee of the whole on a bill entitled an act to authorize David Platt to establish a ferry near the junction of the Suwannee and Withlacoochee rivers, &c., Mr. Hurt in the chair, after some time spent in its consideration, the committee rose and reported said bill amended; which was concurred in and the bill ordered to be engrossed for to-morrow.

The Senate went into committee of the whole on a bill entitled an act to establish a ferry across the Choctawhatchee river, Mr. Berthelot in the chair; after some time spent in its consideration, the committee rose and reported the bill amended; which was concurred in, and said bill ordered to be engrossed for to-morrow.

An act to amend an act entitled an act to establish the county site of Hamilton county, &c., was again read and referred to the committee on the state of the Territory.

An engrossed bill entitled an act to organize the county of Palafox was again read, on motion of Mr. Duval, the word "Palafox" was stricken out and Clinton inserted.

The Senate then adjourned until to-morrow 12 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, January 30th, 1839.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment yesterday's proceedings were read.

Mr. Mills presented a bill to be entitled "an act to incorporate the city of St. Augustine, and to repeal the acts now in force incorporating said city;" which was read by its title and ordered for a second reading to-morrow.

Mr. Duval, agreeable to previous notice, offered a bill entitled an act to authorize the Governor to locate one quarter section of land and provide for the sale of such quarter sections of land that have not been sold, or given to the city of Tallahassee, which are designated by the act of Congress passed the 2nd day of March, 1829, to be sold, and the proceeds thereof applied to the erection of public buildings in the city of Tallahassee, and for other purposes; which was read and ordered for to-morrow.

A bill entitled an act to organize the county of Clinton, was laid on the table for the time being.

A bill entitled an act to incorporate the Presbyterian Congregation at Mandarin, was read a second and third time, the rule being waived, and passed; ordered that the title be as above.

An act further to amend an act to incorporate the Lafayette salt