

W. Smith and another) was read once 453.
and indefinitely postponed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Robinson of Lincoln, from the Conference on the disagreeing vote of the two Houses on the "Bill establishing the Salary of the Secretary of State", reported that the Conference of the two Branches could not agree; and recommended that the Senate adhere to the vote passing said Bill to be engrossed, read and accepted.

Resolves respecting the abolition of Slavery in the District of Columbia, (reported by a Select Committee of the House) was read twice; and ordered that the Resolves be passed upon separately. And the question of adopting the first Resolve, "That neither Congress nor the Legislatures of the non-slaveholding States have any right to interfere with Slavery within the Slaveholding States," being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative as follows, to wit;

Yeas. Messrs. Benson, Burr, Carr, Higgins, Littlefield, Manning, Mildram, J. W. Redman, Edward Robinson, Rogers, Severance, Smith, Soule, Staples, Strickland, Swift, Talbot, Whitney,

Woodbury and Woodman ————— 20

Nay. Mr. Ham, ————— 1

Mr. Rogers moved that the further consideration of said Resolves be postponed.