

To give then to the Commissioners of Lotteries, this power; which puts this grant on a footing with the Consolidated Lotteries, and under the same management; was in effect, to give to the Commissioners the power to place the grant in the Consolidated Lotteries.

The committee therefore, for the reasons assigned, and others which might be given if necessary, are of opinion,

1ST. That the Lottery Laws of this State, had regard only to sales within the State, when it directed the payment of five per cent on sales.

2ND. That the Stamp Act of 1845, had in view only such sales.

3RD. That the contract made in 1849, by the Commissioners of Lotteries with the approval of the Governor has been fairly and judiciously made, and ought not to be disturbed.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

GEO. C. MORGAN, Chairman.