## PROCEEDINGS IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE,

Monday, August 12, 1867.

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The Committee met.

Mr. Dent in the Chair.

The Committee proceeded to the consideration of the Report of the Committee upon Public Works and Corporations, title, Article—Public Works.

The 1st Section was then read.

Pending the consideration of the 2d Section,

Mr. Syester submitted the following amendment:

In the 3d line strike out all after the word "creditor," to the word "they," in the 8th line, and insert as follows: "and shall represent, and vote the stock of the State of Maryland in all meetings of the stockholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and shall appoint the directors in every railroad or canal company in which the State has the legal power to appoint Directors, which said Directors shall represent the State in all meetings of the stockholders of every railroad or canal company (other than the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company,) in which the State is a stockholder."

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. McKaig,

The further consideration of Section 2, with pending amendment, was informally postponed.

The Committee then proceeded to the consideration of Section 3.

Pending which,

Mr. Syester moved to strike out the whole Section.

Pending the consideration of which,

Mr. McKaig moved that the Committee now rise and report that they have had under consideration the Report of the Committee upon Public Works and Coporations, title, Article—Public Works, have made some progress therein, and ask leave to sit again.

Decided in the affirmative.

The Committee then rose.