

Cover,	Jones,	Starr,
Cunningham,	Keating,	Syester,
Devries,	Longwell,	Tarr, of Wcr.
Dorsey,	Manro,	Thomas,
Duvall,	McCormick,	Vansant,
Emack,	Merrick,	Wethered,
Evans,	Merryman,	Wickes,
Farnandis,	Mitchell,	Wilkinson—67.

So the amendment submitted by Mr. Carmichael was rejected.

Mr. Barnes submitted the following amendment :

And it shall be the duty of the President and Directors of said Canal Company to make to the Comptroller of the State true and accurate quarterly statements of all revenues and expenses of said Canal, and to deposit semi-annually with the Treasurer of the State, all surplus earnings above the necessary expenses incident to maintaining the Canal in a good and efficient state of repair, and such further sum as is necessary to pay the annual accruing interest upon the principal sum of the preferred debt or debts owing.

And the Treasurer of the State shall, from time to time, invest such surplus and the increment thereon in a sinking fund until it shall be sufficient to redeem the principal and over-due interest of said preferred debt or debts.

Pending the consideration of which,

Mr. Silver moved the previous question.

The question then being,

“Shall the previous question be now put?”

It was sustained.

The question then recurring upon the amendment submitted by Mr. Barnes,

It was rejected.

Mr. Wickes submitted the following amendment :

Sec. 2. Insert after the word “State,” in line 11, as follows: “or produce injurious competition between said Public Works, to the detriment of the interest of the State.”

Pending the consideration of which,

Mr. George moved the previous question.

The question then being,

“Shall the previous question be now put?”

It was sustained.