Maryland, That section 61, of Article 77, of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title 'Public Education,' as re-enacted by chapter 135 of the Acts of Assembly of Maryland, at the session of 1896, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

In line 1, strike out the first word "section."

At the beginning of line 9, before the word "and" insert the words "section 2."

After the word "re-enact" in fourth line of the title, strike out all of title and insert the following: "the same with amendments."

Said bill, as amended, was read a second time.

Mr. Dryden, from a Select Committee, reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled "An Act to authorize the Commissioners of Crisfield, in Somerset county, to issue additional bonds on the credit of said municipal corporation."

Which was read a second time.

Mr. Staley from the Committee on Education, reported favorably, with proposed amendments,

Senate bill entitled "An Act to repeal and to re-enact with amendments, section 6, of Article 77, of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Public Education,' sub-title 'Formation of Boards.'"

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED.

- 1. After the word "Frederick" in line 6 of section 1, insert the word "Dorchester."
- 2. In line 7 of section 1, after the words "six persons," insert the words "and in each of the other counties of three persons."
- 3. In line 18 of section 1, after the word "Frederick," insert the word "Dorchester."
- 4. After the word "Boards" in line 22, insert as follows: "Provided, however, that the present members of the several Boards of School Commissioners shall hold the offices until their successors are duly appointed and qualified."

At the end of section 1, after the word "vacated" insert the following; "the Governor shall within thirty