

apportionment, and the General Assembly shall have the power to provide by law, from time to time, for altering and changing the boundaries of the existing Legislative Districts of the city of Baltimore, so as to make them, as near as may be, of equal population, but said districts shall always consist of contiguous territory."

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

By Mr. Bouic,

Strike out the word "souls" wherever it occurs and insert "persons."

Which proposed amendment to amendment proposed was adopted.

The question then recurred upon amendment proposed by Mr. Bouic.

Which was rejected by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Applegarth,	Kirwan,
Beasman,	Moore,
Betts,	Peter,
Bouic,	Rohrback,
Crothers,	Williams, of A. A.
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NEGATIVE.

Messrs. President,	Marsh,
Baker,	Messick,
Brewington,	Moses,
Bryan,	Putzel,
Dennis,	Ravenscroft,
Dick,	Wilkinson,
Dodson,	Williams, of Har.
Gray,	—15.

The question then recurred upon whether or not said bill should be engrossed for a third reading.

Which was decided in the affirmative by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,	Gray,
Baker,	Marsh,
Brewington,	Messick,
Bryan,	Moses,