

bers of Kent, Donaldson, Randall, Kent, Bell, Ridgely, James U. Dennis, Crisfield, Dashiell, Phelps, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Stephenson, Thawley, Hardcastle, Sherwood of Balt. city, Ware, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Davis, Weber and Slicer—32.

**NEGATIVE**—Messrs. Blakistone, Hopewell, Ricaud, Mitchell, Dorsey, Wells, Weems, Bond, Merrick, Buchanan, Welch, Lloyd, Colston, Constable, Chambers of Cecil, Bowie, Grason, Wright, Thomas, Sappington, McHenry, Gwinn, Brent, of Balt. city, Prestman, Kilgour and Hollyday—26.

So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Phelps, moved further to amend said report, by inserting as the 38th section thereof, the following :

“Section 38th. No lottery grant shall ever hereafter be authorised by the Legislature of this State.”

Determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Phelps, moved further to amend said report, by inserting as the 39th section of said report, the following :

“Sec. 39th. All property both real and personal of the wife, owned or claimed by her before marriage, and that acquired by gift, devise or descent, shall be her separate property, and laws shall be passed by the Legislature, more clearly defining the rights of the wife in relation to her separate property;”

Mr. Harbine, moved to amend said amendment by striking out in the 2nd line, the words, “or claimed;”

Mr. Phelps, accepted this amendment.

The said amendment was then adopted as amended.

Mr. Dorsey, moved to reconsider the vote of the Convention just taken on this amendment;

Determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Crisfield, moved as a substitute for said amendment the following:

“The General Assembly shall pass laws necessary to protect the property of the wife from the debts of the husband during her life, and for securing the same to her issue after her death.”

Which amendment Mr. Phelps accepted.

The said amendment was then adopted as the 39th section in said report.

Mr. Gwinn moved further to amend said report by adding at the end thereof as an additional section the following :

“The Mayor and city Council of Baltimore, shall have the exclusive right to open and close all streets, lanes and alleys within the limits of the said city; but nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the Legislature from passing any general law directing the process which shall be had in such cases, or from