

the fees and commissions to the State's Attornies shall be the same as are now allowed by law to the attorney general and his deputies, subject to such change from time to time, as the Legislature may provide, and the Legislature may provide by law all necessary rules and regulations in relation to said officers, not inconsistent with the purposes of this constitution; the first election shall take place for State's Attorney, at the same time and place where the members of the next House of Delegates shall be elected, and the officers then chosen shall hold their offices until the next election for Governor."

Which was read.

Mr. Shriver, moved for a division of the question, which was put upon striking out; and

Determined in the negative.

The report having been read through as amended,

The question was put,

"Will the Convention adopt said report as amended?"

Determined in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Shriver,

Said report as amended and adopted was ordered to be printed.

The Convention then took up for consideration the special order of the day, being the several reports of the committee on Representation;

Mr. Kilgour, moved that the said order of the day be postponed until Monday next;

Mr. Schley, moved that said order of the day be postponed until Monday week;

The question was first taken on the motion of Mr. Schley, being the longest time;

Mr. Stewart, of Balt. city, moved the question be taken by yeas and nays, and being ordered, appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Morgan, Wells, Dalrymple, Jenifer, Sherwood, of Talbot, Sappington, Brent, of Balt. city, Schley, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Kilgour, Waters and Smith—15.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Buchanan, Pres't, (pro tem.) Lee, Chambers, of Kent, Donaldson, Dorsey, Randall, Kent, Sellman, Weems, Brent, of Charles, Merrick, Howard, Bell, Welch, Lloyd, Dickinson, Crisfield, Dashiell, Williams, Hicks, Hodson, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Phelps, Chambers, of Cecil, McCullough, Miller, McLane, Bowie, Sprigg, McCubbin, George, Wright, Dirickson, McMaster, Shriver, Biser, McHenry, Nelson, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Balt. city, Sherwood, of Balt. city, Ware, Brewer, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Parke, Shower and Cockey—53.

So the Convention refused to postpone until Monday week.