

works in which the State may be interested, as stockholder or creditor; and shall represent the State in all meetings of the stockholders, and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by law, and shall each receive a salary to be fixed by law, which salary shall not be increased or diminished during their continuance in office.

The Eastern Shore shall constitute one district, and the qualified voters thereof, shall elect one member, and the Western Shore shall be divided into two districts, and the qualified voters of said districts shall elect two members, each district separately to elect a member;"

Which was read,

Mr. Gwinn, moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

Mr. Schley, moved the question be taken by yeas and nays, and being ordered, appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Dorsey, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Ridgely, Lloyd, Dickinson, Chambers, of Cecil, McCullough, Miller, Spencer, Grason, George, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Magraw, Nelson, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Balt. city, Brent, of Balt. city, Sherwood, of Balt. city, Ware, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Brewer, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—42.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Morgan, Blakistone, Hopewell, Ricaud, Lee, Chambers, of Kent, Mitchell, Donaldson, Wells, Randall, Weems, Bond, Brent, of Charles, John Dennis, Crisfield, Dashiell, Hicks, Goldsborough, Bowie, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, Dirickson, McMaster, Fooks, Jacobs, Schley, Davis, Waters and Smith—32.

So the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

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

"Section 4. And the salary of the said commissioners shall not exceed the sum of one hundred dollars per annum each ;"

Which was read,

Mr. Spencer, moved the previous question, and being seconded, The question was put on the adoption of said amendment.

Mr. Chambers, of Kent, moved the question be taken by yeas and nays, and being ordered, appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Morgan, Blakistone, Hopewell, Lee, Chambers, of Kent, Mitchell, Randall, Weems, Bond, John Dennis, Crisfield, Dashiell, Hicks, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Tuck, McCubbin, Bowling, Dirickson, McMaster, Fooks, Jacobs, Nelson, Schley, Fiery, John Newcomer, Brewer, Waters and Smith—30.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Ricaud, Donaldson, Dorsey, Wells, Brent, of Charles, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch,