

Gwinn, Stewart of Balt. city, Brent of Balt. city, Sherwood of Balt. city, Ware, Shower and Brown—22.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Morgan, Blakistone, Dent, Hopewell, Mitchell, Dorsey, Wells, Randall, Sellman, Weems, Bond, Brent, of Charles, Buchanan, Colston, Dashiell, Eccleston, Miller, McLane, McCubbin, Bowling, Spencer, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Sappington, Stephenson, Nelson, Thawley, Schley, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Davis, Kilgour, Brewer, Waters, Anderson, Weber, Hollday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Parke and Cockey—54.

So the amendment was rejected.

On motion of Mr. Morgan,

Said 12th section was amended by adding at the end thereof the following :

“Each of the said two courts shall consist of one judge, who shall hold his office for the term of ten years, subject to the provisions of this constitution, with regard to the election and qualifications of Judges and their removal from office, and the salary of each of the said judges shall be twenty-five hundred dollars per year;”

The said 12th section having been read through as amended;

On motion of Mr. Dorsey,

Said section was further amended by inserting after the word “vested” in the 4th line, the words “within their respective jurisdiction;”

Mr. Howard moved further to amend said section by adding at the end thereof the following:

“And in case it shall hereafter be deemed proper by the Legislature to establish another court with exclusive chancery jurisdiction for the city of Baltimore, they are hereby authorised to provide for the election of a judge with a salary of \$2,500;”

Which was read.

Mr. Merrick, moved to amend said amendment by striking out these words “exclusive chancery jurisdiction;”

Which amendment Mr. Howard accepted.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the amendment as amended ;

Mr. Harbine, offered as a substitute for said amendment the following :

“And the Legislature shall whenever it may think the same proper and expedient provide by law another court for the city of Baltimore, to consist of one judge to be elected by the qualified voters of said city, who shall be subject to the same constitutional provisions; hold his office for the same term of years, and receive the same compensation as the judge of the Court of Common