

tries of all bonds, coupons and certificates of debt of the State, countersigned by him; and all bonds or certificates of debt of the State, in lieu of which, such countersigned instruments may have been substituted; and such books shall be the property of the State of Maryland, and be at all times subject to the inspection of the treasurer and general assembly, and of any person authorised by either of them to inspect the same; and upon the requisition of the general assembly or the treasurer, the said books shall be deposited in the treasurer's office of the State. And after the appointment of the State's agent, no bond, coupon or certificate of debt of the State thereafter issued, unless countersigned as aforesaid, shall be of any force, validity or effect as against the State of Maryland. And said State's agent, shall receive a salary of fifteen hundred dollars per annum, payable quarterly.

Art. 1. A Treasurer shall be appointed by the concurrent vote of the two houses of the General Assembly, and shall continue in office until his successor, in like manner appointed, shall qualify as such. The treasurer thus appointed, when duly qualified, shall exercise the powers and all the duties incident to his office under the laws of this State; and in case of his refusal to accept, death, resignation, disqualification or removal out of the State, the Governor may commission a fit and proper person to fill such vacant office, until the next meeting of the General Assembly, and the appointment and qualification of his successor. And the treasurer, for the time being, shall receive such compensation for his services as is now allowed by law to the present incumbent, who shall continue to hold the office until a treasurer appointed under the provisions of this constitution, shall have qualified as such. The salary of the treasurer shall be the same as that now allowed by law.

Which was read.

Mr. Davis, submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the Convention take a recess this day, from 3 to 5 o'clock, P. M.; and when it re-assembles at 5, the report on Education shall be taken up and considered.

Which was read.

Mr. Tuck, offered as a substitute for said order, the following :

Resolved, That this Convention will take a recess every day from 2 o'clock, P. M., to 4, P. M., until the final adjournment.

Which was read.

On the question being put,

Will the Convention accept said substitute? it was

Determined in the affirmative.

The said order was then adopted.

Mr. Lee, submitted the following order:

Ordered, that the committee on Accounts, pay to the Rev. Mr.