

The question pending before the Convention on yesterday being on the amendment offered by Bowie, by striking out the word "Comptroller," in 1st article, 2nd line these words "chosen by the qualified electors of the State at each election of members of the House of Delegates, and shall receive an annual salary of three thousand dollars, also of," and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Who shall be the Governor of the State for the time being, and;"

On the question being put,

Will the Convention adopt said amendment? it was

Determined in the negative.

Mr. John Newcomer, then moved to amend said 1st article by striking out in the 4th line "three thousand;" and inserting in lieu thereof "two thousand;"

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

Determined the affirmative.

The question then recurred on the motion of Mr. John Newcomer, to fill the blank with "two thousand;"

Mr. Dorsey moved to fill the blank with "fifteen hundred;"

Mr. Constable, moved to fill the blank with "twenty-five hundred;"

The question was first put on the motion of Mr. Constable, being the largest sum;"

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

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Morgan, Blakistone, Dent, Donaldson, Randall, Merrick, Jenifer, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Chandler, Lloyd, Sherwood of Talbot, Colston, Williams, Goldsborough, Constable, Miller, McLane, Bowie, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, Spencer, Grason, George, Wright, Thomas, Shriver, Biser, Annan, McHenry, Stewart of Caroline, Gwinn, Stewart of Balt. city, Brent of Balt. city, Ware, Neill, Kilgour, Anderson, Cockey and Brown—45.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Ricaud, Lee, Chambers of Kent, Mitchell, Dorsey, Wells, Kent, Sellman, Weems, Dalrymple, John Dennis, Hicks, Eccleston, Phelps, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Gaither, Sappington, Stephenson, Magraw, Nelson, Carter, Thawley, Hardcastle, Sherwood of Balt. city, Schley, Fiery, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Brewer, Waters, Weber, Hollyday, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Parke and Shower—41.
So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Randall moved further to amend said 1st article by striking out in the 6th line the words "two thousand;" and inserting in lieu thereof, "twenty-five hundred;"