

dulgence be granted by any future law to any existing company, incorporated for the transportation of freight or passengers, without providing and requiring that there shall be uniform rates or charges for all such transportation in any given distance."

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

**AFFIRMATIVE**—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't. Morgan, Lee, Sherwood, of Talbot, John Dennis, Constable, Miller, Bowie, Dirickson, McMaster, Jacobs, Shriver, Johnson, Gaither, Biser, Stephenson, Thawley, Hardcastle, Brent of Baltimore city, Sherwood, of Balt. city, Michael Newcomer, Hollyday, Fitzpatrick, Smith and Shower—25.

**NEGATIVE**—Messrs. Blakistone, Dent, Donaldson, Wells, Randall, Kent, Howard, Bell, Lloyd, Colston, Williams, Hicks, Hodson, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Phelps, McLane, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, Spencer, Grason, George, Wright, Fooks, Thomas, Annan, McHenry, Magraw, Carter, Gwinn, Stewart of Balt city, Ware, Schley, Fiery, Neil, John Newcomer, Harbine, Waters, Cockey and Brown—42.

So the amendment was rejected.

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

"That it shall be the duty of the Legislature, whenever a majority of the delegates from the Eastern Shore shall require it, to pass an act authorising the qualified voters of the Eastern Shore of this State, at the next regular election thereafter, to determine for or against a withdrawal of that part of the State of Maryland, known as the Eastern Shore, from the Western Shore, for the purpose of uniting the same with the State of Delaware; provided, such withdrawal and union be peaceable, mutual, and in accordance with the authority of the Congress of the United States."

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

**AFFIRMATIVE**—Messrs. Lee, Sellman, Bell, Sherwood of Talbot, John Dennis, Hicks, Hodson, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Phelps, Bowie, McCubbin, Dirickson, McMaster, Fooks, Jacobs, Johnson, Biser, Thawley, Hardcastle, Brent of Balt. city, Neill, Michael Newcomer, Kilgour, Fitzpatrick, Shower and Brown—27.

**NEGATIVE**—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Morgan, Blakistone, Dent, Donaldson, Wells, Randall, Kent, Howard, Welch, Lloyd, Colston, Williams, Constable, Miller, McLane, Tuck, Sprigg, Bowling, Spencer, Grason, George, Wright, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Annan, Sappington, Stephenson, McHenry, Magraw, Carter, Gwinn, Stewart, of Balt. city, Sherwood, of Balt. city, Ware, Schley, Fiery, John Newcomer, Harbine, Waters, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Smith and Cockey—46.

So the amendment was rejected.

Mr. Donaldson moved to amend the 3rd section of said report