

Mr. THOMAS moved the question be taken by yeas and nays,

And being ordered, appeared as follows:

*Affirmative*—Messrs. Morgan, Donaldson, Dorsey, Kent, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Ridgely, Lloyd, Dickinson, Chambers, of Cecil, McCullough, Miller, Bowie, Tuck, Spencer, Grason, George, Dirickson, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, McHenry, Magraw, Nelson, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Baltimore city, Brent, of Baltimore city, Ware, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Brewer, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—47.

*Negative*—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Blakistone, Hopewell, Ricaud, Lee, Chambers, of Kent, Mitchell, Wells, Randall, Weems, Bond, Brent, of Charles, John Dennis, Crisfield, Dashiell, Williams, Hicks, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Schley, Fiery, Davis, Waters, and Smith—31.

So the third article was adopted.

The question then recurred upon the adoption of the report.

The said report having been read through as amended;

Mr. THOMAS moved the question be taken on each article separately, and by yeas and nays; Determined in the affirmative.

The question was then put on the adoption of the first article.

The yeas and nays being taken, appeared as follows:

*Affirmative*—Messrs. Dorsey, Kent, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Ridgely, Lloyd, Dickinson, Chambers, of Cecil, McCullough, Spencer, Grason, George, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Magraw, Nelson, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Baltimore city, Brent, of Baltimore city, Ware, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Brewer, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—41.

*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, Williams, Hicks, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Bowie Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, Dirickson, McMaster, Fooks, Jacobs, McHenry, Schley, Davis, Waters and Smith—35.

So the first article of said report was adopted.

The second article of said report was then read, and

The yeas and nays being ordered, appeared as follows:

*Affirmative*—Messrs. Donaldson, Dorsey, Kent, 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 Baltimore city, Brent, of Baltimore city, Sherwood, of Baltimore city, Ware, Schley,

Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Brewer, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—46.

*Negative*—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Morgan, Blakistone, Hopewell, Ricaud, Lee, Chambers, of Kent, Mitchell, Wells, Randall, Weems, Bond, Brent, of Charles, John Dennis, Crisfield, Dashiell, Hicks, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Bowie, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, Dirickson, McMaster, Fooks, Jacobs, McHenry, Davis and Waters—31.

So the second article was adopted.

The third article of said report was then read, and on the question being put,

“Will the Convention adopt said article?”

Mr. THOMAS moved the question be taken by yeas and nays,

And being ordered, appeared as follows:

*Affirmative*—Messrs. Morgan, Dorsey, Kent, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Ridgely, Lloyd, Dickinson, Chambers, of Cecil, McCullough, Miller, Bowie, Tuck, Spencer, Grason, George, Dirickson, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, McHenry, Magraw, Nelson, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Baltimore city, Brent, of Baltimore city, Ware, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Brewer, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—47.

*Negative*—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Blakistone, Hopewell, Ricaud, Lee, Chambers, of Kent, Mitchell, Donaldson, Wells, Randall, Weems, Bond, Brent, of Charles, John Dennis, Crisfield, Dashiell, Hicks, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, McMaster, Fooks, Jacobs, Schley, Davis, Waters and Smith—29.

So the third article was adopted.

The said report having been read through and adopted,

Mr. SCHLEY moved to re-consider the vote of the Convention just taken on the report for the purpose of enabling him to offer the following as a substitute therefor:

“It shall be the duty of the Legislature at its first session after the adoption of this Constitution, to provide by law, for the election by the people at stated times, of three State's agents, who shall exercise a diligent and faithful supervision on all public 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. SCHLEY said that he had listened with great attention to the arguments of the gentleman from Prince George's, (Mr. Bowie,) in relation to the creation of this office, and he did