Section 8. Strike out all after the word "duties," in the third line;

Decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Daniel submitted the following amendment:

Section 8. After the word "their," in the third line, insert the words "tenure of office;"

Decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Hebb submitted the following amendment:

"Strike out the 9th section;"

Decided in the affirmative.

Messrs. Chambers and Belt were excused from attending the sessions of the Convention for a few days.

Mr. Belt submitted the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, On the 6th day of April 1864, the same having been the day appointed by law for the election, in the city of Baltimore and the several counties, of Delegates to this Convention, Richard H. Edelen, Esq., a delegate from Charles county, was the State's Attorney for the said county, and Henry H. Goldsborough, Esq., a delegate from Talbot county, was on the same day the Comptroller of the Treasury of the State, and George Earle, Esq., a delegate from Cecil county, was on the same day the Clerk of the Court of Appeals of the State, and Edward W. Belt, Esq., a delegate from Prince George's county, was on the same day the State's Attorney for said county, and William H. W. Farrow, Esq., a delegate from Worcester county, was on the same day the State's Attorney for said county, and Frederick Schley, Esq., a delegate from Frederick county, was on the same day a Collector of the Internal Revenue Taxes of the United States, and Joseph H. Audoun, Esq., a delegate from Baltimore city, was on the same day a Justice of the Orphans' Court of said city, and John L. Thomas, Jr., Esq., a delegate from Baltimore city, was on the same day the State's Attorney for said city, and George A. Thruston, Esq., a delegate from Allegany county, was on the same day, the State's Attorney for said county, and George W. Sands, Esq., a delegate from Howard county, was on the same day the State's Attorney for said county, and the Rev. Robert W. Todd, a delegate from Caroline county, was on the same day a Minister or Preacher of the Gospel;

And whereas, none of the said Delegates, either before or after said day, did resign said respective offices or employ-