

After the word "claimed," in line two, insert the words "exclusive of interest ;"

Decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Stockbridge submitted the following amendment :

Strike out the words "as a Court of Equity within the limits of the said city and ;"

Decided in the negative.

The question recurring upon the amendment submitted by Mr. Daniel ;

It was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Thomas submitted the following amendment :

Strike out sec. 29, and insert the following :

"Sec. 29. The Court of Common Pleas shall have civil jurisdiction in all suits where the debt or damage claimed, exclusive of interest, shall be over one hundred dollars, and shall not exceed one thousand dollars ; and shall also have jurisdiction in all cases of appeal in civil cases from the judgment of Justices of the Peace in the said city, and shall have jurisdiction in all applications for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this State, and the supervision and control of the trustees thereof."

Decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Thomas submitted the following amendment :

Sec. 30. Strike out all after the word "shall," in the first line, and insert the following:

"Have jurisdiction concurrent with the Superior Court of Baltimore city, in all cases in equity, in cases arising under the act to direct descents and its supplements, and shall exercise all the power that is now or may be hereafter conferred by law; provided, said Court shall not have jurisdiction in applications for the writ of habeas corpus, in cases of persons charged with criminal offenses;"

Mr. Stirling submitted the following amendment :

Strike out the words "or may be hereafter;"

Decided in the affirmative.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the amendment submitted by Mr. Thomas,

It was decided in the affirmative.