

returns of the soldiers' vote on said election for State officers, presidential electors and members of Congress, and shall count the same with the aggregate home vote, on State officers, and the aggregate home vote in each district respectively for members of Congress.

Sec. 15. The governor shall make known to the officers of the State regiments the provisions of this article of the schedule, and request them to exercise the rights hereby conferred upon them, and shall take all means proper to secure the soldiers' vote; and the general assembly at its first session after the adoption of this constitution shall make proper appropriation to pay any expense that may arise herein.

Sec. 16. If this constitution shall be adopted by the people, the provisions contained herein for taking the soldiers' vote on the adoption of the constitution shall apply to all elections to be held in this State until the general assembly shall provide some other mode of taking the same.

Done in convention, the sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and of the independence of the United States the eighty-ninth.

HENRY H. GOLDSBOROUGH,
President of the Convention.

Attest—W. R. COLE,

Secretary.

STATE OF MARYLAND, *Sci.* :

I, George Earle, clerk of the court of appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify that this constitution was, on this sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, filed in this office.

Witness my hand :

GEORGE EARLE,
Clerk of the Court of Appeals.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE CONVENTION.

NOVEMBER 1, 1864.

The balloting upon the question of the adoption of the Constitution having been peaceful and uninterrupted, the President this day announced as follows :

IN CONVENTION,
ANNAPOLIS, November 1, 1864. }

In pursuance of instructions contained in a resolution passed by the Maryland State Constitutional Convention, as President of said body I do hereby proclaim the said convention adjourned *sine die*.

HENRY H. GOLDSBOROUGH,
President.