

On motion by Mr. Crawford,

The question was divided.

The vote being taken upon the latter clause of the amendment, first, viz :

“Citizens of Talbot and Queen Anne’s from using the waters of Wye river and the mouth thereof in common.”

It was adopted.

The question then being upon the second division of the amendment as follows :

End of section 17 add, “or the citizens of Somerset and Wicomico from using the waters of Wicomico river and the mouth thereof in common.”

It was adopted by yeas and nays as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,	Lloyd,
Brattan,	Phelps,
Davis,	Stevens,
Fields,	Steiner,
Longwell,	Spencer—10.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Aydelott,	Claggett,
Blake,	Earle,
Billingsley,	Williams—7.
Crawford,	

Mr. Williams submitted the following amendment :

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Section 2, line 13, after the word “land,” insert “nor within half-mile of Plum Point.”

Which was adopted.

Mr. Brattan submitted the following amendment :

At the end of section 2, add the words, “But it shall be lawful for the owner of any such boat licensed as aforesaid, whenever said owner shall sell and convey by bill of sale for a *bona fide* consideration, said boat unto any person who has been a resident of the State of Maryland for at least one year, to transfer the said license to said vendee with said boat, which said license when so transferred shall entitle said vendee with said boat to the same privileges for catching oysters in the waters of this State, that the original vendor or assignor had before said assignment; *provided*, the said vendee and assignee shall appear before the Comptroller of the Treasury, and make oath before him to all the facts, matters, things and prerequisites required of said original vendor or