

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

In Section 3, after "And be it enacted," strike out all and insert "that the Justices of the Peace for the above named counties, shall have jurisdiction over, and may take cognizance of all cases of persons violating the provisions of this Act, within their respective counties, and any person or persons convicted before any Justice of the Peace of the county in which the offence is committed, of violating the provisions of this Act, shall be fined by said Justice of the Peace in a sum of not less than five dollars, nor more than twenty-five dollars, for each and every offence, with costs, and on the failure or refusal of such person or persons to pay said fine or fines, or give security therefor, the said Justice of the Peace shall commit him or them to the county jail for a period of not less than five, nor more than twenty-five days.

"And provided, the party or parties convicted under this Act, before any Justice of the Peace, shall have the right of appeal to the Circuit Court of the county in which the offence is committed, within sixty days, and on such appeal being prayed, the Justice of the Peace shall cause the said party or parties to give bail for his or their appearance at the next Term of said Circuit Court of the county, in a sum double the amount of the fine or fines imposed, where the said party or parties shall be tried *de novo*, and if convicted, shall suffer the same penalties as those imposed by said Justice of the Peace, with costs.

"And provided, further, Whenever said bail is given, the party or parties shall be set at liberty; and all fines collected under this Act, shall be applied to the repair of the roads of the county, in which the conviction takes place."

Which was adopted.

Said bill was then read the third time and passed by yeas and nays as follows, with proposed amendment:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,	Knight,
Aydelotte,	Lee,
Brewer,	Lawrence,
Cooper,	McCulloh,
Dennis,	Mudd,
Freeman,	Newcomer,
Getty,	Stevens,
Hepbron,	Steiner—17.
Humphreys,	

NEGATIVE—None.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

House bill entitled an Act to allow the County Commissioners of Charles county, to pay Richard Barnes, Sr., the