

From which opinion Mr. Randall appealed from the decision of the chair.

The question was then put, shall the opinion of the chair stand as the judgment of the house?

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Randall was then permitted to proceed, in order.

The question then recurred upon the report of the committee, recommending that the 7th, 8th and 9th sections of the bill be stricken out.

Mr. Le Grand moved that said report of the committee be concurred in.

Resolved in the affirmative.

The question then recurred upon the passage of the bill as amended.

On motion of Mr. Maccubbin,

Said bill was further amended, by inserting as the seventh section thereof, the following:

Sec. 7. And be it enacted, That, at the first meeting of the board, hereafter to be appointed, the trustees, on the part of the city, shall divide themselves into four classes, by ballot or otherwise, as a majority may determine: the first class shall go out of office at the expiration of one year from the time of their appointment; the second class at the expiration of two years; the third class at the expiration of three years; and the fourth class at the expiration of four years; and that the trustees representing the county shall also classify themselves so as to provide that one of them shall retire at the expiration of one year; another at the expiration of the second year; and the third at the expiration of three years from the time of their appointment.

The said bill having been read through as amended.

The question was put, shall the said bill pass?

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Hooper,

The yeas and nays were ordered, and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Welch of K.	Bowie	Motter
Edes	Maccubbin	Nesbitt
Gantt	Brewer	Claggett
Lowe	Paca	Gaither
Jacobs	Hearn	Gittings
Frazier	Cathell	Gott
Morton	Hooper	Lecompte—23
Simcoe	Richardson	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Ridgely, Spr.	Jones of Som.	Sullivan
Coade	Williams	Gallagher
Causin	Maxwell	Graves