REPORT:

The committee of Conference of the two House of the General Assembly on the difference of opinion in regard to certain amendments proposed by the House to the bill entitled, an Act to encourage volunteering to fill quotas under the call of the President of the United States for three hundred thousand men dated December 1864, beg leave report the following as agreed upon by said committee of Conference:

The House will recede from its second proposed amendment to "strike out the words three responsible citizens in the first and second lines of the second section, as amended, and insert one responsible citizen."

The Senate will concur in the sixth amendment proposed by the House "at the end of the sixth section as amended, add the words, or any other similar one which shall thereafter be made."

The committee also recommend the adopted of an additional section to be known as section three:

Section 3rd. And be it enacted, That the said board created by this Act shall make reports once in every three weeks to the Comptroller of the Treasury of the amounts disbursed by them respectively under this Act, and the persons to whom such disbursements shall have been made; and shall continue to make such reports until the quotas of each county and the city of Baltimore shall have been filled; and they shall make their first reports within three weeks after the first payment shall have been made by them under this Act; and in addition to the compensation heretofore provided for the said Boards shall be allowed for stationery and incidental expenses, including rent of room, a sum not exceeding fifty dollars for each Board in the respective counties, and one hundred and fifty dollars for the Board of the city of Baltimore.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. KING CARROLL, Jr., Jos. C. WHITNEY,

On the part of the Senate.

SAM'L P. SMITH, SAM'L J. SOPER,

On the part of the House.

Which was read.

Messrs. Ohr and Trail were excused from voting.

The question upon its adoption was decided in the affirmative, by yeas and nays, as follow: