

STATE OF MARYLAND,

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,

ANNAPOLIS, March 10, 1860.

To the General Assembly of Maryland:

Gentlemen:—I have received from a Joint Committee of the two Houses of the General Assembly, an address to the Governor, concurred in by two-thirds of each House, requesting me “to remove Henry Stump from the office of Judge of the Criminal Court of Baltimore.”

I find myself compelled to accede to this request; and I now inform the General Assembly that in pursuance of their address, I will remove Judge Stump from the Criminal Court of Baltimore.

THO. H. HICKS.

A bill entitled, An act to provide for taking the sense of the people upon the expediency of calling a Convention to frame a new Constitution and form of government for this State, and to provide for the election of delegates to said Convention;

Was taken up.

Mr. Yellott submitted the following

AMENDMENT:

Fill blank in fifth line with words “first Wednesday of November, eighteen hundred and sixty;”

Which was adopted.

Mr. McKaig offered the following

AMENDMENT:

After the word “same,” in the sixth line, insert “time and”

Which was adopted.

Mr. Yellott offered the following

AMENDMENTS:

Fill blank in ninth line of section three by inserting “first Wednesday of May, eighteen hundred and sixty-one;”

“First Wednesday of June, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one;”

After word “the,” in seventh line of sixth section, insert “President of;”