

Pierce, of Q. A's, Murray, of B. city, Sykes,
Duncan, Dundon, Tyson—36.

So the amendment was rejected.

Mr. Claude offered the following amendment:

Sec. 3, line 3, after the word "owner," strike out the words to line six, "shall have manumitted his slave as required by the authorities of the Federal Government, in addition to the sum of \$300.00, to be paid by said Government when a deed of manumission has been executed and recorded in the manner and form which has been or may be provided by Congress or the President of the United States;"

Which was rejected.

Mr. Davis offered the following amendment:

Section 3, strike out all after the word "slave," in the first line, to the word "that," in the 8th line, and insert, "whose slave shall have been, or may hereafter be enlisted into the army of the United States, shall be paid by this State two hundred dollars in addition to the amount paid by the United States;"

Which was rejected.

Mr. Clarke offered the following amendment:

Amend by striking out in the 3d section, all down to the words "and to," in line 6, and insert the following:

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That to the owner of every negro slave, who shall agree to the enlistment of his slave as above, the sum of five hundred dollars shall be paid, when such owner shall file with the proper authority a good and valid deed of manumission of such negro slave so enlisted, which deed of manumission shall be duly recorded, and an assignment of all claim against the Government of the United States to the State of Maryland, on account of such negro slave so enlisted;"

The question being on the adoption of the amendment,

Mr. Clarke demanded the yeas and nays;

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called, and appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Dent.
Cosden,
Claude,
Iglehart,

Carrico,
McNeal,
Mathews,
Hyland,

Clarke,
Herbert,
Tolson,
Hitchcock,