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Hook	Staley	Gott
Randall	Geyer	Gittings
Willis	Schley	Buskirk
Sherwood	Sutton of Har.	Buchanan
Lowe	Hope	Shaw
Nicols of Dor.	Johns	Powder
Knight	Gallagher	Davis
Forwood	Graves	Boyle
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So the House refused to assent to the said amendment.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan,

The following amendment was read :

Strike out the word "six" in the 10th line of the 2nd branch of the 1st section and insert the word "seven."

On the question being put,

Will the House assent to the said amendment?

It was determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Owens of Anne Arundel,

The following amendment was read and assented to :

Strike out the fifth, sixth and seventh sections of the said bill.

On motion of Mr. Carmichael,

The following amendment was read and assented to :

Add the following proviso at the end of the tenth section :

" Provided, before any bonds shall be issued by said company as hereinbefore provided, the president of the canal company shall certify to the Governor of the State that the contract or contracts for completing the work to Cumberland have been duly made on the credits of the company to an amount not exceeding two millions of dollars."

On motion of Mr. Johnson,

And accepted by Mr. Carmichael,

The following was substituted in the place of the eleventh section :

" Sec. 11. And be it enacted, That the president and directors of said Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, whenever they may be advised to do so by the agents representing this State in said company or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorized and required to enter into a contract or contracts for constructing a branch by slackwater navigation or otherwise, "from the main canal at Cumberland to the coal banks at or near the mouth of Savage river." And to pay the interest that may become due or in arrear on the bonds or obligations of the company that may be issued for that purpose, bearing an interest not exceeding seven per cent. per annum, to be payable semi-annually, and the principal to be payable in thirty years after the dates thereof; and to provide a sinking fund of twenty thousand dollars annually, until a sufficient amount is accumulated to discharge the principal of