

such expressions after its adoption, and when for the first time it had vitality and became the fundamental law of the State.

The undersigned, therefore, after the above brief statement of the reasons which compel him to differ from the majority of the committee, submits the following resolution as a substitute for that offered by the majority:

Resolved, that Littleton Maclin, was duly elected as Senator for Howard county, and is entitled to a seat in this body.

THO'S. LANSDALE,
Minority of the Committee.