

Also,

Ordered, That all officers and employees of the House be and they are hereby required to be in constant attendance upon the sittings of the House, and that the pay of those who are absent hereafter without special permission in writing, signed by the Speaker, be withheld; and the sergeant-at-arms, door-keepers and pages are directed to take care that persons admitted to the privileges of the floor do not occupy the seats of members.

Mr. O'Connor submitted the following order, viz:

Ordered, That the Chairman of the Committee on Claims, the Clerk to the Committee on Claims, the Engrossing Committee, and such other members as the Speaker may select, together with such Engrossing Clerks as the Chairman of the Engrossing Committee and the Chief Clerk of the House and Speaker shall select, shall each receive the same compensation as at the last session for services to be rendered by them after the adjournment, and the Chairman of the Committee on Claims is hereby authorized to issue his certificate to the parties aforesaid in conformity herewith.

Which was read and adopted, by yeas and nays, as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.—Messrs. Speaker, Combs, Garner, Strong, Wilson, Brashears, Donaldson, Hutchins, Sappington, of Anne Arundel, Ireland, Lane, Carrico, Maddox, Orrick, Cole, Elliott, Hamilton, Jr., Monmoyer, Schlaffer, Wooters, Leonard, Anderson, Sterling, Meredith, Miles, Kirk, Grove, of Cecil, Bowie, of Prince George's, Hill, Perrie, Bryan, Wallen, Hayman, McSherry, Gaver, Sappington, of Frederick, Hayward, Johnson, Thompson, Fuld, Fitzgerald, Brennan, Carter, Field, Bowie, of Baltimore city, O'Connor, Gallagher, Sams, Sanders, Cornthwaite, Fockler, Stottlemeyer, Berret—53.

NEGATIVE—None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The House considered Unfinished Business, being the following order heretofore laid over informally: