

The question before the committee being upon the amendment offered by Mr. Culbreth to the amendment offered by Mr. Eccleston, to insert after the word "State," the words "and one delegate from the city of Annapolis."

On the question being put,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question then recurred, and was put on the amendment of Mr. Eccleston as amended;

Mr. Handy moved to amend said amendment, by striking out the words "until after the census of 1840."

Resolved in the affirmative.

The question again recurred upon the amendment as amended, and

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Brengle moved to amend said bill, by striking out in the first section, fourth line, after the words "composed of," to the end of the said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the following—

"One delegate from each county, for every five thousand of population, according to federal numbers to be ascertained by the latest census of the federal government, and one delegate from the city of Baltimore, for every nine thousand of population, according to federal numbers, to be ascertained as aforesaid."

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Primrose moved to amend said section by striking out in the fourth and fifth lines thereof, "five," and inserting "four;"

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Ely moved to amend said section by inserting after the word "Frederick," in the fifth line thereof, the words "and Baltimore;"

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Tuck, moved to amend said section, by striking out from the words "composed of," in the fourth line, to the end of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the following.

"Three delegates from each of the counties of Allegany, Calvert, Caroline and Kent; four delegates from each of the counties of Talbot, St. Mary's, Queen Anne's, Cecil, Harford, Charles, Worcester, Montgomery, Somerset, Prince George's, Carroll, Dorchester, Anne Arundel and Washington, five delegates from each of the counties of Baltimore and Frederick, five delegates from the city of Baltimore, and one delegate from the city of Annapolis."

Which was read.