

25th.

Any member may call for the division of a question, which shall be divided if it comprehends questions so distinct, that one being taken away the rest may stand entire for the decision of the House, and when an amendment shall be proposed to an amendment, the question on the amendment shall be taken first, and then divided if required, into as many parts as it will admit of distinct questions.

26th.

A motion to strike out and insert, shall be deemed inadvisable, but a motion to strike out being lost, shall preclude neither amendment nor a motion to strike out and insert. A motion to strike out and insert, together with the matter proposed to be inserted, shall be received, and the question on it taken as one entire motion, but any member may have the same divided, agreeably to the 25th rule.

No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration, shall be admitted under color of amendment.

27th.

All questions shall be determined by a majority of the members present; those dividing in the affirmative rising in their *yes*, those in the negative continuing in their seats, and so *vers*, until a decision by the Speaker.

28th.

When a question has once been decided in the affirmative, or negative, a motion of reconsideration shall be in order, if made by one member, and seconded by two others who voted in the majority, within three days after the decision; and no motion of reconsideration shall be postponed or laid on the table.

29th.

Petitions, memorials, and other papers addressed to the house, shall be presented by the Speaker, or by a member in his place; and the object of all petitions and memorials shall be endorsed on the back, and shall be entered on the Journal.

30th.

The unfinished business in which the House was engaged at