So the motion to adjourn did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

At $3\frac{1}{4}$ o'clock P. M. the Convention took a recess until 8 o'clock this P. M.

EVENING SESSION, July 30, 1867.

The Convention met.

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Carmichael, (President,) Alvey, Austin, Barry, Bateman, Bell, Bennett, Bradley, Brent, Brewer, of Montgomery, Brooke, Brown, Buchanan, Chambers, Cosgrove, Cover, Cunningham, Devries, Dobbin, Dorsey, Duvall, Evans, Farnandis, Finley, Galt, Giddings, Gill, Groome, Hall, Hammond, Hayden, Hoblitzell, Hollyday, Horsey, of Frederick, Howard, Howison, Hubbard, Ireland, Jamison, Johnson, Jones, Keating, Kennedy, Lee, Longwell, Mackubin, Manro, Massey, Maulsby, McCormick, McMaster, McPherson, Merrick, Mitchell, Morris, Motter, Murray, Nicolai, Page, C. S. Parran, Perry, Peters, Pleasants, Pole, Rider, Riggs, Ringgold, Pitchie, Roman, Spates, Starr, Stoddert, Syester, Tarr, of Caroline, Tarr, of Worcester, Thomas, Wallace, Walsh, Watkins, of Montgomery, Wethered, Wickes—78.

The Convention resumed the consideration of the Report of the Committee upon the Judiciary Department.

The question recurring upon the 19th Section said Report,

Pending which Mr. Watkins, of Montgomery, moved that the further consideration of the Section be informally postponed;

Decided in the negative.

Mr. Watkins, of Montgomery, submitted the following amendment:

Section 19, line 1, strike out the word "eight," and insert the word "seven."

Pending the consideration of which,

Mr. Jones moved the previous question.

The question then being,