

Section 24. Strike out the word "five," in line 1, and insert the word "four;" strike out the words "and five hundred," in line 3.

Mr. Wilkinson moved that the Convention do now adjourn.

Decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Jones,

At 3 o'clock, P. M., the Convention took a recess until 8 o'clock this P. M.

EVENING SESSION, JULY 31, 1867.

The Convention met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Brooke (Pr't *pro tem.*) Alvey, Archer, Austin, Bateman, Bell, Bennett, Bradley, Brewer, of Balto. city, Brewer, of Mont'y, Brown, Buchanan, Carter, Chambers, Cosgrove, Cover, Cunningham, Denson, Devries, Dobbin, Dorsey, Duvall, Emack, Evans, Farnandis, Finley, Ford, Galt, Giddings, Gill, Goldsborough, of Dorchester, Groome, Hall, Hammond, Hardcastle, Hayden, Hoblitzell, Hollyday, Horsey, of Frederick, Howard, Howison, Hubbard, Ireland, Jamison, Johnson, Jones, Keating, Kennedy, Lee, Longwell, Mackubin, Manro, Massey, Maulsby, McCormick, McKaig, McMaster, McPherson, Merrick, Mitchell, Morris, Motter, Murray, Nelson, Page, Charles S. Parran, Perry, Peters, Pleasants, Pole, Rider, Riggs, Ringgold, Ritchie, Roman, Silver, Spates, Starr, Stoddert, Syester, Tarr, of Worcester, Thomas, Wallace, Walsh, Wethered, Wickes
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The Convention resumed the consideration of the unfinished business of the morning's session,

Being the Report of the Committee upon the Judiciary Department.

The question recurring upon Section 24 of said Report ;

Pending which,

Mr. McCormick demanded a division of the question ;

Pending the consideration of which,

On motion of Mr. Bateman,

At nine o'clock and fifty-five minutes P. M., the Convention adjourned.