

So the motion submitted by Mr. Mackubin,

Was not sustained.

On motion of Mr. Archer,

The Report was opened for amendment.

Mr. Archer submitted the following amendment :

Sec. 8. Insert in the 8th line, after the word "city," the words "shall retain for his services out of the fees of his office the sum of four thousand dollars ;"

Which was rejected.

Mr. Mackubin moved that the Report be opened to enable him to submit the following amendment :

Sec. 8, line 8. Strike out the words "one deputy," and insert the words "not more than two deputies;" line 9, insert after the word "annum," the word "each;"

Decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Longwell,

The vote by which the Convention refused to open the Report for the purpose of submitting an amendment to Section 2, was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Longwell, (a majority of all the members elected concurring,)

The Report was opened for amendment.

Mr. Longwell submitted the following amendment :

Sec. 2. line 17. Strike out the words "three thousand," and insert the words "twenty-five hundred ;"

Pending the consideration of which,

Mr. Nicolai submitted the following amendment to the amendment :

Strike out the word "five," and insert the word "one ;"

Which was adopted.

The question then recurring upon the amendment, as amended,

The question being upon its adoption,

Mr. Watkins, of Montgomery, demanded the previous question.

The question then being,

"Shall the previous question be now put?"

It was not sustained.