

Mr. Spencer, rose to a point of order, that the previous question on the entire amendment having been ordered by the Convention, the motion of Mr. Chambers, of Kent, for a division of the question, was not in order;

The Chair decided the motion to be out of order.

The yeas and nays were then taken on the amendment as offered by Mr. Spencer, and appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.—Messrs. Tuck, President, pro tem., Morgan, Donaldson, Dorsey, Wells, Randall, Kent, Sellman, Merrick, Buchanan, Welch, Constable, Chambers, of Cecil, Bowie, Sprigg, McCubbin, Spencer, George, Wright, Shriver, Biser, McHenry, Magraw, Pressman, Ware, Davis, Anderson, Hollyday, Parke and Brown—30.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Ricaud, Chambers, of Kent, Mitchell, Dalrymple, Brent, of Charles, Bell, Ridgely, Lloyd, Dickinson, Sherwood, of Talbot, Colston, John Dennis, Dashiell, Williams, Hicks, Hodson, Eccleston, Phelps, Miller, Bowling, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Thomas, Gaither, Annan, Stephenson, Nelson, Carter, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Baltimore city, Brent, of Baltimore city, Schley, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Brewer, Waters, Weber, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Shower and Cockey—49.

So the amendment was rejected.

Mr. Phelps, then moved to amend said 2nd section by filling the blank in the 2nd line with the words "two years;" and

Moved the previous question, that is

"Shall the main question be now put?" and it was

Determined in the affirmative.

The question was then put on the adoption of the amendment as offered by Mr. Phelps.

Mr. Phelps, moved the question be taken by yeas and nays, and being ordered, appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Ricaud, Chambers, of Kent, Mitchell, Dorsey, Dalrymple, Brent, of Charles, Bell, Ridgely, Lloyd, Dickinson, Sherwood, of Tal., Colston, John Dennis, Dashiell, Williams, Hicks, Hodson, Eccleston, Phelps, Bowling, Spencer, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Thomas, Gaither, Annan, Stephenson, Nelson, Carter, Stewart of Caroline, Hardcastle, Stewart of Balt. city, Schley, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Davis, Brewer, Waters, Weber, Hollyday, Fitzpatrick, Smith and Cockey—49.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Tuck, Pres't, pro tem., Morgan, Donaldson, Wells, Randall, Kent, Sellman, Merrick, Buchanan, Welch, Constable, Chambers of Cecil, Bowie, Sprigg, McCubbin, Wright, Shriver, Biser, McHenry, Magraw, Gwinn, Brent of Balt. city, Pressman, Ware, Anderson, Parke, Shower and Brown—28.

So the amendment was adopted.