

Referred to the committee appointed on the Attorney General and his Deputies.

The Convention resumed the consideration of the order of the day, being the report submitted by Mr. Johnson, Chairman of the committee on the Legislative Department, on the 25th ult.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey,

The Convention reconsidered their vote upon the 27th section of said report.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey,

Said 27th section was amended by striking out in the 2nd line the words "breach of the peace," and inserting in lieu thereof "other criminal offence;"

The said section was then adopted as amended.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey,

The Convention reconsidered their vote on the 30th section of said report.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey,

Said section was amended by striking out in the 2nd line the word "district," and inserting "city," and in the 1st line after the word "disqualification," inserting "resignation," and in the 4th line by inserting the word "such," between the words "more," and "qualified;"

On motion of Mr. Dorsey,

Said section was further amended by striking out from the word "issued" in the 5th line, to the end of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following :

"By the Speaker of the House of Delegates or President of the Senate, as the case may be, for the election of another person in his place, and in case of such resignation or refusal to act, being communicated in writing to the Governor, by the person making it, or such death occur during the Legislative recess and more than ten days before its termination, it shall be the duty of the Governor, to issue a warrant of election to supply the vacancy, thus created in the same manner that the said Speaker or President might have done during the session of the Legislature, of which election not less than ten days notice shall be given, exclusive of the day of the publication of the notice and of the day of election; Provided, however, that unless a meeting of the General Assembly may intervene, the election thus ordered to fill such vacancy shall be held on the day of the ensuing election for delegates and senators."

The said 30th section as amended was then adopted.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey,

The 31st section was reconsidered, and amended by striking out the words "the general," and inserting "their elections;"

The said section was then adopted as amended.