

The question pending before the Convention being on the substitute offered by Mr. Phelps on yesterday, as a substitute for the amendment offered by Mr. Schley, as the second section of the report, and the substitute offered by Mr. Dorsey.

After debate thereon,

At ten minutes past 3 o'clock, P. M.;

Mr. Dirickson, moved the Convention adjourn,

Which motion he waived to enable Mr. John Newcomer to move the following order :

Ordered, 'That the Convention take a recess until half-past 7 o'clock, P. M.

Which was read.

Mr. Tuck, moved to amend said order by striking out "seven o'clock," and inserting "four o'clock;"

Which amendment Mr. John Newcomer accepted.

At twenty minutes past 3 o'clock; P. M.,

Mr. Dirickson, moved the Convention adjourn.

Determined in the affirmative.

And the Convention accordingly adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, March 28th, 1851.

The Convention met

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Graff.

The Proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion of Mr. Dorsey, it was

Ordered, That it be entered upon the Journal that Mr. Davis, is called home by the indisposition of a member of his family.

On motion of Mr. Weber, it was

Ordered, That it be entered upon the Journal that the absence of Mr. Sherwood, of Talbot, is occasioned by the indisposition of a member of his family.

Mr. Gaither, presented a petition of 65 citizens of Frederick county, praying that a clause be inserted in the constitution of this State, empowering a majority of the legal voters of any county, district, city or ward, to restrict the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, in their respective counties, wards or districts.

Which was read, and