

Referred to the select committee already appointed on that subject.

The President announced the unfinished business of yesterday, being the order submitted by Mr. James U. Dennis, allowing no member to speak more than forty-five minutes upon the question of Representation.

On motion of Mr. Spencer,

The Convention was called, and the Doorkeeper sent for the absent members.

On motion of Mr. Dirickson,

Further proceedings under the call was dispensed with.

Mr. Dirickson, moved the Convention take up for consideration the motion made by him on yesterday, to reconsider the vote of the Convention, limiting the debate upon the various amendments pending, touching the subject of Representation, to two o'clock this day.

Determined in the affirmative.

The question was then put,

"Will the Convention reconsider their vote on said order?"

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

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Morgan, Hopewell, Ricaud, Lee, Chambers of Kent, Donaldson, Dorsey, Wells, Bond, John Dennis, James U. Dennis, Crisfield, Williams, Hicks, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Phelps, Sprigg, McCubbin, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Kilgour, Waters and Smith—28.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Blakistone, Kent, Sellman, Brent, of Charles, Merrick, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Chandler, Ridgely, Lloyd, Colston, Constable, Chambers, of Cecil, Miller, McLane, Bowie, Tuck, Spencer, Grason, George, Wright, Thomas, Shriver, Johnson, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Sappington, Stephenson, McHenry, Magraw, Nelson, Thawley, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Baltimore city, Brent, of Balt. city, Sherwood, of Balt. city, Presstman, Ware, Fiery, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Brewer, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—55.

So the Convention refused to reconsider their vote on said order.

The hour having arrived for taking up the special order of the day, the Convention resumed the consideration of the several reports of the committee on Representation;

The question pending before the Convention being on the substitute offered by Mr. Phelps, as a substitute for the amendment offered by Mr. Schley, as the 2nd section of the report and the substitute offered by Mr. Dorsey.