

The question then recurred on the adoption of the amendment as amended ;

Mr. Hollyday, with the consent of the Convention, modified his amendment by inserting after the word "Commissioners," the words "and the city council of Baltimore;"

The question again recurred and was put on the adoption of the amendment as amended, and

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Fooks, then moved to amend said 21st section by striking out all from the beginning of said section to the word "the," in the 3rd line, and inserting in lieu thereof the following :

"There shall be two Justices of the Peace in each election district of every county in the State, and each ward in the city of Baltimore respectively, having one hundred voters, and one additional Justice for each additional two hundred voters elected by;"

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Stephenson, then moved to amend said 21st section by striking out from the beginning of said section down to the word "respectively," in the 4th line inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof the following :

"There shall be elected for each of the wards of the city of Baltimore and for each of the election districts of the several counties of this State, by the voters thereof respectively, such numbers of Justices of the Peace and Constables as may be fixed and regulated by the Legislature at its first session;"

Which was read.

Mr. Brent of Balt. city, moved the question be taken by yeas and nays, and being ordered appeared as follows:

**AFFIRMATIVE**--Messrs. Blakistone, Ricaud, Lee, Chambers of Kent, Dorsey, Randall, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Lloyd, John Dennis, James U. Dennis, Dashiell, Williams, Hicks, Hodson, Goldsborough, Phelps, McCullough, Miller, Spencer, Grason, Gorge, Wright, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Jacobs, Shriver, Annan, Stephenson, McHenry, Magraw, Stewart of Balt. city, Schley, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Anderson, Fitzpatrick, Parke and Cockey--45.

**NEGATIVE**--Messrs. Chapman, Pr't, Morgan, Dent, Hopewell, Wells, Weems, Sherwood of Talbot, Colston, Bowie, Tuck, Sprigg, Bowling, Fooks, Gaither, Thawley, Stewart of Caroline, Carter, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Brent of Balt. city, Ware, Brewer, Weber, Hollyday, Smith, Shower and Brown--26.

So the amendment was adopted.

The question then recurred upon the adoption of the substitute as offered by Mr. Bowie, for the 21st section of the report.

Mr. Weems, offered as a substitute for said section and substitute the following :