

So the Convention refused to reconsider the vote on said amendment.

Mr. Dent gave notice that on to-morrow he should move to reconsider the vote of the Convention on the substitute offered by Mr. Thomas and to be found on page 705 of journal.

Mr. Chambers, of Kent, gave notice that on to-morrow he should move to reconsider the vote of the Convention just taken on the motion to reconsider the amendment offered by him.

Mr. Ege moved the convention suspend the rule and take up for consideration the motion submitted by Mr. Dent, to reconsider the vote of the convention on the substitute offered by Mr. Thomas.

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

**AFFIRMATIVE**—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Blakistone, Dent, Ricaud, Sellman, Weems, Bond, Sollers, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Ridgely, Lloyd, Constable, McCullough, Miller, McLane, Bowie, Spencer, Grason, George, Wright, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Sappington, Stephenson, McHenry, Magraw, Nelson, Carter, Hawley, Stewart of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart of Balt. city, Brent of Balt. city, Sherwood, of Balt city, Pressman, Ware, Schley, Neill, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Brewer, Anderson, Weber, Hollyday, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Parke, Ege, Shower, Cockey and Brown—60.

**NEGATIVE**—Messrs. Morgan, Hopewell, Lee, Chambers of Kent, Donaldson, Dorsey, Wells, Randall, Kent, Dalrymple, Brent, of Charles, Sherwood, of Talbot, Colston, John Dennis, Dashiell, Williams, Hicks, Hodson, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Phelps, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Bowling, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Fiery, Davis, Kilgour and Waters—34.

So the Convention refused to suspend the rule.

The Convention then resumed the consideration of the unfinished order of the day, being the report of the committee on the Judiciary;

Mr. Davis, moved to postpone the consideration of the order of the day, and take up for consideration the report of the committee on Education ;

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Davis, moved for the yeas and nays ;

Which motion was not sustained.

Mr. McHenry, from committee No. 7, submitted the following

#### REPORT :

Sec. 1st. On the first Wednesday of November eighteen hundred and fifty one and the same day every second year thereafter, the qualified voters of each county shall, by general ticket, elect from amongst themselves, the same number of persons, to constitute the board of commissioners for such county as it may then be