

ture for the purpose of electing delegates therein; each county in the State entitled to more than two delegates, and the city of Baltimore shall be divided into separate election districts, of compact contiguous territory or ward in the manner following: The city of Baltimore shall be divided into five districts of compact contiguous territory each of which shall be entitled to two delegates, and each of the counties having more than two delegates, shall be divided into districts of compact, contiguous territory as follows: every county now being entitled to three delegates shall be divided into two districts, one of which shall be entitled to two delegates and the other one delegate; and each county having four delegates shall be divided into two districts, each of which shall be entitled to two delegates; and every county having five delegates shall be divided into three districts, two of which shall be entitled to two delegates, and one district to one delegate; and every county having six delegates shall be divided into three districts, each of which shall elect two delegates.”

Which was read.

Mr. Chandler, moved the Convention adjourn;
Determined in the negative.

Mr. Dent, moved the previous question, and being seconded;
The question was put on the amendment as offered by Mr. Johnson.

Mr. Bowie moved for a division of the question upon said amendment.

Mr. Ricaud, being in the Chair, decided the amendment was not divisible.

The question was then put on the amendment as offered by Mr Johnson.

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

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Morgan, Blakistone, Dent, Hopewell, Lee, Donaldson, Dorsey, Wells, Randall, Weems, Dalrymple, Brent, of Charles, Merrick, Jenifer, Bowling, Fooks, Johnson, Gaither, Annan, Fiery, Neill, John Newcomer, Davis, Kilgour, Waters and Smith—27.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Ricaud, Chambers, of Kent, Kent, Sellman, Howard, Buchanan, Bell, Welch, Chandler, Ridgely, Lloyd, Sherwood of Talbot, Colston, John Dennis, Williams, Hicks, Goldsborough, Eccleston, Phelps, Constable, Chambers, of Cecil, Miller, McLane, Bowie, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Spencer, Grason, George, Wright, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Jacobs, Thomas, Shriver, Biser, Sappington, Stephenson, McHenry, Magraw, Nelson, Carter, Thawley, Stewart, of Caroline, Harcastle, Gwinn, Stewart of Balt. city, Brent, of Balt. city, Sherwood, of Balt. city, Presstman, Ware, Schley, Harbine,