

ed here after the final adjournment, but with a limitation, that the said order shall not operate after the 1st of June.

The work cannot be finished by that time. Those who know my position and circumstances understand that I have every motive to return home without an hour's unnecessary delay, and no motive, pecuniary or otherwise, to protract my sojourn in this city. From a desire not to renew the controversy which had arisen upon the subject of my compensation, I consented, in reply to an enquiry from the committee on Printing, to abandon my weekly allowance during the period of my detention.

But, I know of no principle upon which I am to be compelled to remain here, in the service of the State, without, at least, the payment of my expenses. And I respectfully ask the Convention to reconsider its decision of this morning.

HENRY G. WHEELER, Official Reporter.

Which was read, and

Referred to the committee on Printing.

Mr. Buchanan, gave notice that on to-morrow, he should move to reconsider the vote of the Convention on the resolution mentioned in said communication.

Mr. Bowie, submitted the following order :

Ordered, That William Hall, receive one dollar per day from the time of his appointment as post master, for extra services.

Which was read.

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

AFFIRMATIVE—Messrs. Chapman, Prest. Morgan, Blakistone, Dent, Hopewell, Wells, Dalrymple, Jenifer, Howard, Bell, Ridgely, John Dennis, Williams, Hicks, Eccleston, Bowie, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin and Bowling—20.

NEGATIVE—Messrs. Lee, Mitchell, Sellman, Lloyd, Sherwood, of Talbot, Colston, Phelps, McLane, Spencer, Wright, Fooks, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Sappington, Stephenson, McHenry, Nelson, Thawley, Fiery, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Brewer, Hollyday, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—33.

So the order was rejected.

Mr. Tuck, submitted the following resolution :

Resolved, That when this Convention adjourns it shall stand adjourned until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock, to proceed with business according to the order of the 8th May, and that it adjourn on that day *sine die*.

Which was read.

Mr. Tuck, moved to amend said order by striking out "nine" and inserting "eight;"

Determined in the negative.

The said order was then adopted.