the several counties and the city of Baltimore, to duly apprentice to some business all negroes emancipated by the adoption of this Constitution, who are minors, subject to such regulations as are now or may hereafter be prescribed by law; and in all cases the preference shall be given to their masters while in a state of slavery, when in the judgment of the said Courts they are suitable persons to have charge of them."

Mr. Abbott submitted the following amendment:

Section 2, line 4, strike out the word "appointment," and insert the word "election;"

The question being on the adoption of the amendment;

Mr. Morgan demanded the yeas and nays,

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called, and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Galloway, Goldsborough, P't Harwood, Abbott, Hodson, Annan, Hopkins, Purnell, Audoun, Billingsley, Keefer, Blackiston, Carter, Crawford, Cunningham, Dail, Davis, of Charles, Davis, of Wash., Dellinger, Dellinger, Duvall, Murray, Duvall, Ecker, Edelen, Mosson, Myman, Parran, Purnell, Ridgely, Reder, Robinette, Schlosser, Schley, Schley, Schlosser, Smith, of Car Smith, of Car Smith, of Wooden—51.	or.,
---	------

NEGATIVE.

Messrs.	Hopper,	Russell,
Berry, of Balt co.,	Jones, of Cecil,	Stirling,
Bond,	Lansdale,	Stockbridge,
Brown,	Miller,	\mathbf{Sykes}_{j}
Chambers,	Mullikin,	Thruston,
Daniel,	Parker,	Todd-19
Earle,	Pugh,	