

The House then resumed the consideration of the order of the day.

The question being upon the substitute proposed by Mr. Evans, for the majority report of the committee,

Mr. Baker submitted the following :

Being the report of the minority of the Committee on Elections on the right of the sitting members from Allegany to seats in this House :

Resolved, That the memorial of William Devecmon and others contesting the right of William R. McCulley and others to seats as representatives in this body, be and is hereby dismissed;

Pending which,

Mr. Beck moved the previous question.

On motion of Mr. Clarke,

A call of the House was ordered, when

The following members responded to their names:

Messrs. Miller, Speaker, Morgan, Beck, Welch, Hall, Clarke, Cameron, Hutchins, Ford, Shipley, Davis, of Charles, Thomas, Jump, Jones, Dennis, Parsons, Kerr, Evans, Lindsey, Magruder, Calvert, Rouzer, Buhrman, Baker, Linticum, Gorsuch, Steiner, Appleman, Tobey, Bishop, Hutton, Coleman, Neilson, Smith, Flaherty, Robson, Hooper, Israel, Knott, Lankford, Thomson, Waltemeyer, Feig, Bizler, Pitts, Aydelott, Gordy, Nelson, Wilson, Spicer, Gilpin, McCulley, Haller, Bruce, McCulloh, Neale, Benton, Criswell, Wampler, Gore, Horsey, King, Hammond—60.

Mr. Ford moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which was not sustained.

On motion of Mr. Magruder,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was ordered to notify the absent members to give their attendance, and to bring them before the bar of the House. After some time the Sergeant-at-Arms returned and reported that he had brought before the bar of House all the absent members now in the city;

On motion of Ford,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question then recurring upon the motion of Mr. Beck, Being the demand for the previous question;

It was sustained.