

Mr. Smith, of Worcester, (the rules being suspended) submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the Committee on Federal Relations be instructed to prepare a preamble and resolutions expressive of the sense of this House respecting the present aspect of national affairs, and that said committee be and they are hereby requested to report to this House within five days.

Which was read.

The question being upon its adoption,

Mr. Bond, of Baltimore city, demanded the yeas and nays.

The demand being sustained,

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

AFFIRMATIVE.

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| Messrs. | Wenner, | Seibert, |
| Boyer, | Bowlus, | Riggs, |
| Nicolai, | Byers, | Conley, |
| Slingluff, | Vandiver, | McCulloh, |
| Holmes, | Moore, | Kean, |
| Biddison, | Hubbard, | Devecmon, |
| Rose, | Colton, | Trimble, |
| Corbin, | Chaisty, | Hall, |
| Stewart, of Dor., | Markland, | Davis, of Carroll, |
| Johnson, | Conway, | Worthington, |
| Touchstone, | Syester, | Clark, |
| Mearns, | Coudy, | Jones, |
| Smith, of Wor., | Rohrer, | Hopkins—39. |
| Dutrow, | | |

NEGATIVE.

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| Messrs. | Lowe, | Wentz, |
| Stewart, Speaker, | Horsey, | Robb, |
| Loker, | Davis, of Cecil, | Morse, |
| Coad, | Richards, | Latrobe, |
| Hammond, | Keech, | Pentland, |
| Iglehart, | Guy, | Smith, of B. city, |
| Deale, | Williams, | Bond, of B. city, |
| Dalrymple, | Albaugh, | Mullin, |
| Mitchell, | Maynard, | Harig |
| Chapman, | Silver, | Jordan—29. |

So the order was adopted.

Mr. Touchstone, (the rules being suspended,) submitted the following order :

Ordered, That Mr. Davis, of Cecil, have leave of absence till Tuesday next, to visit his home on account of family bereavement.