

Ford, of Cecil, Smith, of B. city, Welling,
 Hearn, Kennard, Dorsey—37.
 Thomas,

So the amendment was rejected,

The question recurring on the motion to refer the memorial to the committee on Elections ;

It was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Belt, moved to suspend the rules to allow him to offer an order ;

The yeas and nays, being demanded on the motion to suspend, appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Morgan,	Lynch, of Balt. co.	Sudler, of Q. A.
Neal,	Smith, of Balt. co.	Landing,
Tongue,	Clarke,	Spence,
Mackubin,	Goldsborough,	Schnebly,
Kilbourn,	Kidd,	Worthington,
Burgess,	Belt,	Thruston,
Stonestreet,	Wyville,	Kilgour,
Walker,	Contee,	Barnard,
Allender,	Larrimore,	Mountz—28.
Ford, of Balt. co.		

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Berry, Sp'r,	Hearn,	Kennard,
Wickes,	Thomas,	Lynch, of B. city,
Meginnis,	Bowlus,	Harrington,
Griffiss,	Root,	Crowley,
Magruder,	Koons,	Forrest,
Waller,	Hobbs,	Alexander,
Moore,	Hanway,	Rohrer,
Sudler, of Som.	Bacon,	Summers,
Tilghman,	Baker,	Gray,
Dail,	Todd,	McKinstry,
Richardson,	Stirling,	Reindollar,
Grieves,	Rogers,	Day,
Davis,	McPherson,	Welling,
Ford, of Cecil,	Smith, of B. city,	Dorsey—42.

So the motion was lost.

The Speaker laid before the House the following communication :

To the Hon. J. S. Berry,

Speaker of the House of Delegates :

The undersigned hereby tenders his resignation as Chair-