

Maryland State Convention.

CHAMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

April 27th, 1864.

AT the hour of 12 o'clock, M., on motion of Mr. HOPEWELL HEBB, of Allegany County, the Convention was called to order, and HENRY STOCKBRIDGE, Esq., of Baltimore City, was elected Chairman, *pro tempore*.

On motion of Mr. FREDERICK SCILEY, of Frederick county, Mr. JOSEPH B. PUGH, of Cecil county, was elected Secretary, *pro tempore*.

On motion of Mr. STIRLING, an order was passed authorizing the Chairman to appoint a Committee of five to wait on the Governor, and obtain a list of Delegates chosen to this Convention.

The Chair named Messrs. A. STIRLING, Jr., of Baltimore city, J. S. BERRY, of Baltimore county, DANIEL CLARK, of Prince George's county, ALBERT C. GREENE, of Allegany county and WILLIAM T. PURNELL, of Worcester county, as the Committee.

Mr. STIRLING, Chairman of the Committee, reported that they had performed the duty required of them, and that the Governor would send a message to the Convention.

Whereupon, the following message was received by the Convention from the Governor, through the hands of CHAPMAN HARWOOD, Esq.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, April 27th, 1864.

To the Convention:

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the request contained in your order of this day, I have the honor herewith to transmit a list of the members of the Convention elected on the 6th inst., as appears by the returns of the Judges of Election on file in this Department. The words "sworn" or "affirmed" prefixed to some of the names on said list, indicate those who have taken and subscribed the oath required to be administered to members of said Convention by the Act authorizing it.

A. W. BRADFORD.