

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

The House took up the leave submitted by him on Thursday last, to bring in a bill to provide for the election of representatives to the next Congress of the United States.

On motion of Mr. Owens,

Ordered, That the said leave be referred to a select committee composed of one delegate from each county, and the city of Baltimore.

Mr. Owens submitted the following order :

Ordered, That when this House adjourns it stands adjourned until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock ;

Which was read.

Mr. Tuck then submitted the following as a substitute for said order :

Ordered, That this House shall meet at 12 o'clock M. until the 16th inst. after which the hour of meeting shall be 9 A. M ;

Which was read.

Mr. Spence then moved that the House do now adjourn ;

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Lecompte of Carroll, then moved the following as a substitute for the substitute of Mr. Tuck :

Ordered, That when this House adjourns it adjourns to 10 o'clock A. M. to-morrow ;

Which was read.

On the question being put,

Will the House accept the said substitute ?

Determined in the affirmative.

The question then recurred on accepting the said substitute for the original order.

Mr. Grove then moved that the House do now adjourn ;

Determined in the negative.

The question again recurred on accepting the said substitute for the original order.

On motion of Mr. Tuck,

The said substitute was amended by striking out "10 o'clock" and "inserting half past 9 o'clock."

The question then recurred on accepting the substitute as amended,

And on being put, it was accepted.

The question then recurred on its adoption,

And on being put, it was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Graves,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning half past 9 o'clock.