Gill, Longwell, Hammond, Brown, Manro, Murray, Ritchie, Howard, Cunningham, Garey, Groome, Pole, Brewer, B. City, McCormick, Tarr, Worcester, Ferry, Stoddert, Parker, Peters, Goldsborough, D., McMaster, Franck, Austin, Covington—60.

So the order submitted by Mr. Marbury was rejected.

Mr. Ford submitted the following order:

Ordered, That a committee of five be appointed by the President to ascertain upon what terms the services of a competent Reporter for the Convention can be obtained, and report to this Body as early as practicable;

Pending its consideration,

Mr. Silver submitted the following order as a substitute:

Ordered, That the Committee on Printing be instructed to ascertain the expense of a Reporter to this Convention, and report the same to this Body, immediately upon the assembling of the Convention to-morrow.

Mr. Wilkinson submitted the following as a substitute for the whole:

Ordered, That the President be requested to appoint a committee of five, and name a time for them to meet, before which the several gentlemen who desire the appointment of Phonographic Reporter to this Convention, shall come for the purpose of having their respective qualifications for the position tested by actual trial. The Committee to decide upon the person in their opinion most suitable, and report his name to the Convention for its action, at the same time report the expense of such reporting.

Mr. Nicolai moved to lay the substitute on the table, Decided in the negative.

The question then recurring upon the substitute submitted by Mr. Wilkinson,

It was rejected.

The question then recurring upon the substitute submitted by Mr. Silver,

It was rejected.

The question then recurred upon the order submitted by Mr. Ford;

Which was adopted.