

Lee, Mitchell, Dorsey, Wells, Randall, Kent, Weems, Bond, Sollers, John Dennis, James U. Dennis, Hicks, Goldsborough, Tuck, Sprigg, McCubbin, Dirickson, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Johnson and Kilgour—27.

**NEGATIVE**—Messrs. Donaldson, Sellman, Buchanan, Welch, Chandler, Lloyd, Colston, Chambers, of Cecil, Miller, Bowie, Spencer, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Sappington, Stephenson, McHenry, Magraw, Nelson, Thawley, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Balt. city, Brent, of Baltimore city, Sherwood, of Baltimore city, Prestman, Ware, John Newcomer, Harbine, Michael Newcomer, Brewer, Weber, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—42.

So the Convention refused to adjourn.

Mr. Bowie, moved for a call of the Convention, and that the Sergeant-at-Arms be sent after the absent members to enforce their attendance.

The Convention having been called by the assistant secretary, Mr. Brown, moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Mr. Tuck, rose to a point of order, and insisted that the Convention had no power to dispense with proceedings under the call until the absentees had been sent for.

Mr. Weems, (being in the chair,) stated that a majority of the Convention could control its own action, and therefore overruled the point of order ;

From which decision Mr. Tuck appealed ;

On the question being put,

Shall the opinion of the chair stand as the judgment of the Convention?

Mr. Bowie, moved the question be taken by yeas and nays, and being ordered appeared as follows :

**AFFIRMATIVE**—Messrs. Chapman, Pres't, Blakistone, Hopewell, Donaldson, Sellman, Jenifer, Howard, Welch, Ridgely, Lloyd, Colston, Chambers, of Cecil, Miller, McLane, Sprigg, Bowling, Spencer, George, Thomas, Shriver, Gaither, Biser, Annan, Sappington, Stephenson, McHenry, Magraw, Nelson, Thawley, Stewart, of Caroline, Hardcastle, Gwinn, Stewart, of Baltimore city, Brent of Baltimore city, Sherwood of Balt. city, Prestman, Ware, John Newcomer, Harbine, Brewer, Anderson, Slicer, Fitzpatrick, Smith, Parke, Shower, Cockey and Brown—48.

**NEGATIVE**—Messrs. Morgan, Ricaud, Lee, Dorsey, Wells, Dalrymple, Bond, Sollers, Buchanan, John Dennis, James U. Dennis, Crisfield, Williams, Hicks, Goldsborough, Phelps, Bowie, Tuck, McCubbin, McMaster, Hearn, Fooks, Jacobs, Michael Newcomer and Kilgour—26.

So the Convention sustained the decision of the chair.