

The demand being sustained,
The yeas and nays were called and appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.

Smith, Speaker,	Neal,	Fenton,
Mattingly,	Purnell,	Jones,
Boyer,	Onley,	Canby,
Usilton,	Boyle,	Griffith,
Hodges,	Vandiver,	Rawlings,
Robinson,	Culbreth,	Sprigg,
Rullman,	Coburn,	Brooke,
Fiizjarrell,	Stewart,	Brown,
Lankford,	McAleese,	Rinehart,
Ford,	Gill,	Lamotte,
Briscoe,	Loane,	Waters, of Car'l,
Ward,	Chaisty,	Clark,
Snowden,	Hess,	Dashiell,
Hance,	Harig,	Gordy,
Gwynn,	Albaugh,	Baruard,
Cockey,	Sanders,	Browning—46.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs.

Dunbar,	Gunby,	Koons,
Turner,	Waters, of Dor.,	Scott,
Hooper,	Riggs,	Farrow,
Baldwin,	Hicks,	Ranger—13.
Smith, of B. co.,		

So the Report of the Committee on Elections was adopted.

Pending the call of the roll, Mr. Whitelock declined to vote for the reasons following :

Deeming the action of the House in the matter under consideration as eminently judicial, I have persistently declined reading any outside evidence bearing on the subject.

The closing days of the session have now arrived, and the report of the Committee on Elections, with the testimony on which it is founded, is laid before the House; without an opportunity even to read any of the papers, much less to weigh the testimony and arrive at a proper decision, I am compelled to decline voting on the question now before the House,

Mr. Curtis asked to be excused from voting.

On motion of Mr. Vandiver,

Mr. Curtis was excused from voting.

Mr. Given declined to vote and submitted the following reasons:

I would respectfully decline to vote on this question, for the simple reason that I have only heard a summary of the