

Brinsfield, Horner, Malkus, Webb, Benson, Jackson, Scarborough, Burch, McGrath, McLeish, Pumphrey, Steward, Wilkinson, Baker, Walls, Dennis, Richardson, Shockley, Alexander, Derr, Hauver, Payne, Ramsburg, Virts, Baldwin, De Ran, James, McLean, Banning, McDaniel, Bertorelli, Duffy, Kosakowski, Milanicz, Mrozinski, Silk, Behounek, McKewen, Murphy, Schueler, Valis, Weintraub, Albers, Buffington, Dempsey, Dippel, O'Malley, Tawney, Melnicove, Pollack, Robinson, Shapiro, Siegel, Sklar, Argabright, Bandiere, Geraghty, Kennedy, Luber, Preston, Baynes, Curry, Davis, Griffin, Meyer, W. W., Thommen, Ankeney, Bloom, Downey, Hicks, Huyett, Newcomer, Clark, Hyde, King, Lofstrand, Reeves, Rush, Cook, Fey, Geppert, Reed, See, Whitworth, Barnes, Hahn, Six, Smith, Carr, Sybert, Messick, Nock, Potts, White, Coddington, McIntire, Myers, J. C. Total—123

#### NEGATIVE—NONE

Mr. Perry O. Wilkinson was declared elected Speaker pro tem.

Messrs. Luber and Lankford escorted the Speaker pro tem to the rostrum.

Under House Rule No. 49 the Chief Clerk administered the oath to the Speaker pro tem.

The Speaker pro tem administered the oath of office to the following members of the House of Delegates, as follows: Messrs. Rudolph Behounek, Harry Wenig, Bessie Dorsey Moss, and James McLean.

The Speaker pro tem next called for nominations for the office of Speaker of the House of Delegates for the Special Session of December 17, 1949.

Whereupon, Mr. Pumphrey, of Prince George's County, nominated Mr. C. Ferdinand Sybert, of Howard County, which nomination was seconded by Mr. Argabright, of Baltimore City.

Mr. Ramsburg made a motion, duly seconded, that nominations be closed.

There being no further nominations for Speaker for the Special Session of 1949, the Hon. C. Ferdinand Sybert, of Howard County, was elected Speaker for the Special Session of 1949 by yeas and nays as follows:

#### AFFIRMATIVE

Messrs.—

Speaker, Guyther, Mattingly, Harris, Jester, Lankford, Lowman, McNulty, Moss, Wigley, Tyler, Hall, Hance, Cooksey, Winkler, Beckwith, Boone, Ensor, Rockenbaugh, Warren, Wenig, Chaires, Lowe, Nelson, Hoffman, Todd, Ward, Brinsfield, Horner, Malkus, Webb, Benson, Jackson, Scarborough, Burch, McGrath, McLeish, Pumphrey, Steward, Baker, Walls, Dennis, Richardson, Shockley, Alexander, Derr, Hauver, Payne, Ramsburg, Virts, Baldwin, De Ran, James, McLean, Banning, McDaniel, Bertorelli, Duffy, Kosakowski, Milanicz, Mrozinski, Silk, Behounek, McKewen, Murphy, Schueler, Valis, Weintraub, Albers, Buffington, Dempsey, Dippel, O'Malley, Tawney, Melnicove, Pollack, Robinson, Shapiro, Siegel, Sklar, Argabright, Bandiere, Geraghty, Kennedy, Luber, Preston, Baynes, Curry, Davis, Griffin, Meyer, W. W., Thommen, Ankeney, Bloom, Downey, Hicks, Huyett, New-