

The previous question having been ordered, the substitute was defeated by yeas 34, nays 71.

The question was then taken on the original proposition offered by Mr. Barry, as follows:

*Ordered*, That standing committees, to consist of — members each, be appointed by the Chair. 1st. A committee to consider and report upon the Declaration of Rights. 2d. Upon the Executive Department. 3d. Upon the Legislative Department. 4th. Upon the Judiciary Department. 5th. Upon the Attorney General and the State's Attorneys. 6th. Upon the Treasury Department. 7th. Upon the elective franchise and the qualifications of voters. 8th. Respecting militia and military affairs. 9th. Upon education. 10th. Upon a proper basis of representation in the two houses of the General Assembly and a proper apportionment of representatives in the same. 11th. Respecting future amendments and revisions of the constitution. 12th. Respecting the appointment, tenure of office, duties and compensation of all civil officers not embraced in the duties of other standing committees. 13th. Upon claims. 14th. Upon printing.

The order was then adopted, 75 members voting in the affirmative.

Mr. Bateman offered the following:

*Ordered*, That each of the committees heretofore ordered shall consist of nine members.

Mr. Archer moved to amend by inserting "except the committee on the judiciary, which shall consist of thirteen members, and the committee on education, which shall consist of one member from each county and one from each legislative district of the city of Baltimore."

Mr. Spates moved, as a substitute, the following, which was adopted:

*Ordered*, That the committee on education consist of one member from each of the counties, and one from each legislative district of the city of Baltimore; the committee on the judiciary of one from each county and three from the city of Baltimore; the committee on rep-