

Which was read, and

Referred to the Committee upon Education.

Also, the reports of the Clerks of the Circuit Courts for Talbot and Calvert counties, exhibiting the number of indictments found in said Courts for 1864, 1865, 1866 and 1867, also the number of cases tried in said Courts in the years 1865 and 1866;

Which were read, and

Severally referred to the Committee upon the Judiciary Department.

The Convention then took up for consideration the order of the day, being,

The Report of the Committee to consider and report upon the Declaration of Rights;

The question recurring upon the amendment submitted by Mr. Devries, to the fifteenth article of said Report;

Pending the consideration of which,

Mr. Buchanan moved a call of the House;

Which was sustained.

• Upon the call of the roll, the following members responded to their names:

Messrs. Carmichael, (President,) Perry, Spates, Walsh, Hoblitzell, Howison, Hall, Kilbourn, Giddings, Rennolds, George, Vansant, Flaherty, Henderson, Gill, Brown, Carter, Ritchie, Garey, Dobbin, Brewer, of Baltimore city, Peters, Franck, Buchanan, Wethered, Bell, Barry, Hardcastle, Tarr, of Caroline, Hubbard, Longwell, Galt, Hayden, Chambers, Howard, Cosgrove, Stoddert, Hodson, Nelson, McPherson, Johnson, Mackubin, Devries, Wickes, Brewer, of Montgomery, Riggs, Duvall, Lee, Marbury, Keating, Finley, Bradley, Ford, Jamison, Toadvine, Jones, Goldsborough, of Talbot, Alvey, Murray, Cunningham, Motter, Pole, Tarr, of Worcester, Franklin, McMaster—65.

On motion of Mr. Duvall,

All farther proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question then recurring upon the adoption of the amendment submitted by Mr. Devries,

Mr. Stoddert demanded the yeas and nays,

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called and appeared as follows: