

Was taken up.

The question being on the amendment of Mr. Briscoe, to strike out the word "paramount," in the 4th section of the Report,

After debate thereon,

At forty-five minutes past one o'clock, the Convention took a recess until half-past four o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

The Convention re-assembled at 4½ o'clock, P. M.

All the members present except the following:

Messrs. Audoun, Barron, Berry, of Baltimore county, Berry, of Prince George's, Bond, Brooks, Carter, Clarke, Crawford, Dail, Davis, of Charles, Dennis, Dent, Hatch, Henkle, Hodson, Hopkins, Johnson, Jones of Cecil, Kennard, Larsh, Mace, Markey, Mayhugh, Morgan, Noble, Peter, Pugh, Ridgely, Schley, Schlosser, Smith, of Dorchester, Stockbridge, Thomas, Thruston, Wilmer—37.

Mr. Scott submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the use of this Hall be given to Captain Calhoun on Friday evening, for the purpose of delivering a lecture on the subject of prison life among the Rebels,

Which was adopted.

Mr. Wickard submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the various Standing Committees be requested to report on the subjects they may have under consideration, at as early a day as practicable,

Which was adopted.

The Convention resumed the consideration of the Report of the majority of the Committee on the Bill of Rights,

After debate thereon,