

Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Fortner, Hendry, Knight, Lykes, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Oliveros, and Smith—12.

So the motion was lost.

On the question of the adoption of the motion of Mr. McCaskill :

The yeas and nays were called with the following result :

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Fortner, Hendry, Johnson, Knight, Lykes, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Oliveros, and Smith—13.

Those voting in the negative were—

Messrs. Hill, Howell, Long, Meacham, Osgood, Pope, Sturtevant, and Wallace—8.

So the motion was carried.

The Chair appointed the following as the committee: Messrs. Dennis, McCaskill, and Oliveros.

Mr. Wallace moved that the Senate adjourn until to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

The yeas and nays were called with the following result :

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Dennis, Durkee, Hill, Howell, Johnson, Long, McKinnon, Meacham, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Sturtevant, and Wallace—13.

Those voting in the negative were—

Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Fortner, Hendry, Knight, Lykes, Oliveros, and Smith—9.

So the motion prevailed, and the Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1875.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator Crawford in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names :

Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Dennis, Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Johnson, Knight, Long, Lykes, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Smith, Sturtevant, and Wallace—24.

A quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Osgood, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with, and as corrected approved.

On motion of Mr. Parlin, the Senate proceeded to the election of a President *pro tem.*, with the following result :

For McCaskill—Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Den-

nis, Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Howell, Johnson, Knight, Long, Lykes, McAuley, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Osgood, Parlin, Smith, Sturtevant, and Wallace—21.

For Dennis—Mr. McCaskill—1.

For blank—Messrs. Hill and Pope—2.

Mr. McCaskill having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared elected President *pro tem.* of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Meacham, a committee of two, Messrs. Meacham and Cottrell, was appointed to conduct the President to the chair.

Mr. Dennis moved that the Senate proceed to elect a Secretary;

Which was carried.

Mr. Dennis nominated Joseph Bowes.

On motion of Mr. Cottrell, Mr. Bowes was elected Secretary by acclamation.

On motion of Mr. McKinnon, the Senate adjourned until 3 o'clock P. M.

THREE O'CLOCK P. M.

The Senate re-assembled.

The President *pro tem.* in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Howell, Johnson, Knight, Long, Lykes, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Osgood, Parlin, Smith, Sturtevant, and Wallace—21.

A quorum present.

Mr. Meacham moved that the Senate adjourn until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

On a division of the Senate the question was carried, and the Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 1875.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President *pro tem.* in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Dennis, Fortner, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Knight, Long, Lykes, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Osgood, Parlin, Smith, and Sturtevant—20.

A quorum present.