

Mr. Osgood moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed;
Which was agreed to.

Assembly Bill No. 25:

A bill to be entitled An act Fixing the Time for Holding the
Terms of the Circuit Courts in the Third Judicial Circuit,
Was read a second time and placed among the orders of the
day for a third reading to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 4:

A bill to be entitled An act Fixing the Time for Holding the
Circuit Courts in the Fifth Judicial Circuit,
Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Cottrell moved its recommittal to the Committee on Ju-
diary;

Which was agreed to, and the bill was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 14:

A bill to be entitled An act to Prohibit the Attachment of
Money Due for Wages,

Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Dennis moved that the further consideration of the bill
be postponed until to-morrow;

Which was agreed to.

Assembly joint resolution in regard to suit in the Supreme
Court, United States, &c.,

Was taken up on its second reading, and was ordered to be
placed among the orders of the day for to-morrow for its third
reading.

Mr. Wallace moved that the Senate now adjourn until to-
morrow at 10 o'clock;

Which was agreed to.

So the President declared the Senate adjourned accordingly.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1875.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

President *pro tem.* in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Dennis,
Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Howell, Johnson, Knight, Long,
Lykes, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Parlin, Pope, Smith,
Sturtevant, and Wallace—21.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Reading of the Journal.

Mr. Cottrell moved that the further reading of the Journal
be dispensed with;

Which was agreed to, and the Journal was corrected and approved.

Mr. Cottrell introduced a joint resolution relative to republican government;

Which was received and placed among the orders of the day.

Mr. Hendry introduced a memorial relative to establishing a mail-route from Orlando to Fort Myers;

Which was received and placed among the orders of the day for reference.

Mr. Long introduced a memorial relative to establishing a mail-route from Ocala to Bronson Station;

Which was received and placed among the orders of the day for reference.

Mr. McKinnon asked the unanimous consent of the Senate to have the word "dollars" inserted in the enrolled bill for the relief of the sureties of D. Brownell, in the last line of the preamble.

The Senate unanimously consented.

Assembly amendment to Senate concurrent resolution relative to restoring to the State certain lands on the Suwannee river now held by the General Government, was taken up.

Mr. Cottrell moved that the Senate concur to the amendment.

On the question of concurrence the yeas and nays were called with the following result:

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Mr. President, Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Knight, Lykes, McAuley, McKinnon, Meacham, Sturtevant, and Wallace—16.

Those voting in the negative were—

Messrs. Johnson, Long, Oliveros, Osgood, Pope, and Smith—6.
So the amendment was concurred in.

The joint resolution relative to republican government, offered by Mr. Cottrell, was taken up and placed among the orders of the day for to-morrow for a second reading.

The memorial to Congress relative to establishment of mail-route from Orlando to Fort Myers, was taken up and placed among the orders of the day for reference.

The memorial to Congress to establish a mail-route from Ocala to Bronson Station, was taken up and placed among the orders of the day for reference.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER,
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., February 3, 1875. }

Hon. A. L. McCaskill, President of the Senate:

Sir: The Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 26, an act entitled An act to Provide for

the Taking of the Census of the State of Florida, have carefully considered the same and recommend that it pass, with the following amendments, to wit: Strike out "sheriff" wherever it appears and insert "tax assessor;" strike out "county clerk" wherever it appears and insert "clerk of the Circuit Court," and insert "before the first day of January, 1876." We have also considered Assembly joint resolution in regard to West Florida, and Assembly concurring resolution in regard to taking the census of the State of Florida, and recommend that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT MEACHAM, Chairman.

Which was received and the accompanying bill and resolutions placed among the orders of the day for a second reading.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills made the following report:

SENATE CHAMBER,
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., February 3, 1875. }

Hon. A. L. Mc Caskill, President of the Senate:

SIR: The Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 11, being An act to Authorize Married Women to Convey Their Separate Estate and Release Dower by Attorney, have examined the same and do find it correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

E. T. STURTEVANT, Chairman.

M. G. FORTNER,

T. W. LONG.

Which was received and the accompanying bill ordered to be placed among the orders of the day for a third reading.

Joint resolution relative to amendments to the Constitution was taken up.

Mr. Meacham moved that the further consideration of the joint resolution be postponed until to-morrow, and that the amendments be spread upon the Journal;

Which was agreed to.

The amendments are as follows:

JOINT RESOLUTION.

A joint resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly of the State of Florida, That the following amendments to the Constitution of said State be, and the same are hereby agreed to and shall be numbered respectively, and submitted to the people separately:

ARTICLE I.

Section two of Article four of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

SECTION 2. From and after the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, the regular sessions of the Legislature shall be held biennially, commencing on said day and on the corresponding day of every second year thereafter, but the Governor may convene the same in extra session by his proclamation.

ARTICLE II.

Section twenty-nine of Article four of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

SECTION 29. The Assembly shall have the sole power of impeachment, but a vote of two-thirds of all the members present shall be required to impeach any officer, and all impeachments shall be tried by the Senate. When sitting for that purpose the Senators shall be upon oath or affirmation, and no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the Senators present. The Senate may adjourn to a fixed day for the trial of any impeachment, and may sit for the purpose of such trial, whether the Assembly be in session or not, but the time fixed for such trial shall not be more than six months from the time articles of impeachment shall be preferred by the Assembly. The Chief-Justice shall preside at all trials by impeachment, except in the trial of the Chief-Justice, when the Lieutenant-Governor shall preside. The Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, members of the Cabinet, Justices of the Supreme Court, and Judges of the Circuit Court, shall be liable to impeachment for any misdemeanor in office, but judgment in such cases shall extend only to removal from office, and disqualification to hold any office of honor, trust, or profit under the State, but the party convicted or acquitted shall nevertheless be liable to indictment, trial and punishment according to law. All other officers who shall have been appointed to office by the Governor, and by and with the consent of the Senate, may be removed from office upon the recommendation of the Governor and consent of the Senate, but they shall nevertheless be liable to indictment, trial, and punishment according to law for any misdemeanor in office. All other civil officers shall be tried for misdemeanor in office in such manner as the Legislature may provide.

ARTICLE III.

Section seven of Article twelve of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

SECTION 7. The Legislature shall have power to provide for issuing State bonds bearing interest for securing the debt of the State, for the erection of State buildings, and for the support of State institutions, but the credit of the State shall not be pledged or loaned to any individual company, corporation, or association; nor shall the State become a joint owner or stockholder in any company, association, or corporation. The Legislature shall not authorize any county, city, borough, township, or incorporated district to become a stockholder in any company, association, or corporation, or to obtain or appropriate money for, or to loan its credit to, any corporation, association, institution, or individual.

ARTICLE IV.

Section five of Article six of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 5. The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction in all cases at law and in equity commenced in Circuit Courts and of appeal from the Circuit Court in cases arising in the County Court as a Court of Probate, and in the management of the estates of infants, and in all criminal cases commenced in the Circuit Court. The court shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, certiorari, prohibition, quo warranto, habeas corpus, and also all writs necessary or proper to the complete exercise of its jurisdiction. Each of the justices shall have the power to issue writs of habeas corpus to any part of the State upon petition by or on behalf of any person held in actual custody, and may make such writs returnable before himself or the Supreme Court, or any justice thereof, or before any Circuit Judge.

Section eight of Article six of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 8. The Circuit Courts shall have original jurisdiction in all cases in equity, also in all cases at law in which the demand or the value of the property involved exceeds one hundred dollars, and of all cases involving the legality of any tax assessment, toll, or municipal fine, and of the action of forcible entry and unlawful detainer, and of actions involving the titles or right of possession of real estate, and of all criminal cases, except such as may be cognizable by law by inferior courts. They shall have appellate jurisdiction of matters pertaining to the probate jurisdiction and the estates and interests of minors in the County Courts, and of such other matters as may be provided by law, and final appellate jurisdiction in all civil cases arising in the court of a justice of the peace in which the amount or value of property involved is twenty-five dollars

and upwards, and of misdemeanors tried before any Justice's or Mayor's Court. The Circuit Courts and judges shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, injunction, quo warranto, certiorari, habeas corpus, and all writs proper and necessary to the complete exercise of their jurisdiction.

Section ten of Article six of the Constitution is hereby abrogated.

Section eleven of Article six of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

SECTION 11. The County Court shall have power to take probate of wills, to grant letters testamentary, and of administration and guardianship, to attend the settlement of the estates of decedents and minors, and to discharge the duties usually pertaining to Courts of Probate, subject to the direction and supervision of the appellate and equity jurisdiction of the Circuit Court as may be provided by law. And the County Judges shall have and exercise the civil and criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace. They may also have jurisdiction of such proceedings relating to the forcible entry or unlawful detention of lands and tenements subject to the appellate jurisdiction of the Circuit Court as may be provided by law.

Section fifteen of Article six of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

SECTION 15. The Governor shall appoint as many Justices of the Peace as he may deem necessary. Justices of the Peace shall have jurisdiction in civil actions at law in cases in which the amount or value involved does not exceed one hundred dollars; and in criminal cases their powers shall be fixed by law. Their powers, duties, and responsibilities shall be regulated by law. They may hold their offices for the term of four years, subject to removal by the Governor for reasons satisfactory to him.

ARTICLE V.

Section seven of Article six of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

SECTION 7. There shall be five Circuit Judges appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate, who shall hold their respective offices for the term of six years from the time of their qualification. The State shall be divided into five Judicial Circuits as defined in this Constitution, and the judge of each circuit shall reside in the circuit to which he shall be appointed. Each judge shall hold the terms of the court at such times and places as may be prescribed by law, and he may hold special terms with or without juries. The Chief-Justice may,

in his discretion, order a temporary exchange of circuits by the respective judges, or designate any judge to hold a general or special term, or part of a term, in any other circuit than that one in which he resides.

Section three of Article sixteen of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 3. The several Judicial Circuits of the Circuit Courts shall be as follows:

The First Judicial Circuit shall be composed of the counties of Escambia, Santa Rosa, Walton, Holmes, Washington, Jackson, Calhoun, and Franklin.

The Second Judicial Circuit shall be composed of the counties of Liberty, Gadsden, Leon, Wakulla, Jefferson, Madison, Taylor, and La Fayette.

The Third Judicial Circuit shall be composed of the counties of Hamilton, Suwannee, Columbia, Baker, Bradford, Alachua, and Levy.

The Fourth Judicial Circuit shall be composed of the counties of Nassau, Duval, Clay, St. Johns, Putnam, Volusia, Orange, Brevard, and Dade.

The Fifth Judicial Circuit shall be composed of the counties of Marion, Sumter, Hernando, Hillsborough, Polk, Manatee, and Monroe.

ARTICLE VI.

Section twelve of Article six of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 12. Grand and petit jurors shall be taken from the registered voters of the respective counties. The number of jurors for the trial of causes in any court may be fixed by law.

ARTICLE VII.

Sections seven and eight of Article sixteen of the Constitution are hereby abrogated.

ARTICLE VIII.

Section twenty-four of Article sixteen of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 24. The property of all corporations, whether heretofore or hereafter incorporated, shall be subject to taxation, unless such property be held and used exclusively for religious, educational, or charitable purposes.

ARTICLE IX.

Section twenty-two of Article five of the Constitution shall read as follows:

SECTION 22. The Governor shall have power to disapprove of any item or items of any bill making appropriations of money embracing distinct items, and the part or parts of the bill approved shall be the law, and the item or items of appropriation disapproved shall be void unless repassed according to the rules and limitations prescribed for the passage of other bills over the Executive veto.

ARTICLE X.

Section fourteen of Article five of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 14. A Lieutenant-Governor shall be elected at the same time and places and in the same manner as the Governor, whose term of office and eligibility shall also be the same. He shall be the President of the Senate, but shall only have a casting vote therein. In the case of the impeachment of the Governor or his removal from office, death, inability to discharge his official duties, or resignation, the power and duties of the office shall devolve upon the Lieutenant-Governor for the residue of the term, or until the disability shall cease. In the case of the impeachment of the Lieutenant-Governor or his removal from office, death, inability to discharge his official duties, or resignation, the power and duties of the office shall devolve upon the President *pro tem.* of the Senate.

In case a vacancy shall occur both in the offices of Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, the Legislature shall at its next session order an election to fill such vacancies. But the Governor shall not, without the consent of the Legislature, be out of the State in time of war.

Section fifteen of Article five of the Constitution is hereby abrogated.

ARTICLE XI.

Section sixteen of Article five of the Constitution is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 16. The Governor may at any time require the opinion of the Justices of the Supreme Court as to the interpretation of any portion of this Constitution upon any question affecting his executive powers and duties, and the justices shall render such opinion in writing.

Passed the Assembly January 31, 1874, by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Assembly.

Passed the Senate February 5, 1874, by a two-thirds vote of the Senators.

The President ordered that the amendments to the Constitution be spread upon the Journal.

Assembly Bill No. 2:

A bill to be entitled An act to Repeal Section 27 of Chapter 1,987, Laws of Florida,

Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Dennis moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed for fifteen minutes for the purpose of giving him time to propose an amendment;

Which was agreed to.

Assembly Bill No. 14:

A bill to be entitled An act to Prohibit the Attachment of Money Due for Wages;

Was taken up and read the second time.

Mr. Oliveros moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Pending the consideration of Mr. Oliveros' motion, the following messages were received from the Assembly and the accompanying bills were placed among the orders of the day:

ASSEMBLY HALL,
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., February 3, 1875. }

Hon. A. L. McCaskill, President pro tem. of the Senate:

SIR: I am directed by the Assembly to inform the Senate that the Speaker has this day appointed Messrs. Chadwick, Corley, and Martin, on the part of the Assembly, as members of the joint Committee on Appropriations.

Very respectfully,
H. S. HARMON,
Chief Clerk.

ASSEMBLY HALL,
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., February 3, 1875. }

Hon. A. L. McCaskill, President pro tem. of the Senate:

SIR: I am directed by the Assembly to inform the Senate that the Assembly has passed the following bills, viz.:

Assembly Bill No. 19:

A bill to be entitled An act to Authorize John Lloyd to Establish a Ferry Across Trout Creek, in Duval County.

Assembly Bill No. 37:

A bill to be entitled An act for the Relief of G. H. Johnson.

Assembly Bill No. 40:

A bill to be entitled An act to Authorize the Comptroller to Purchase Stationery for the Official Use of the Governor, Members of the Cabinet, and Legislature.

Assembly Bill No. 41:

A bill to be entitled An act Declaring McCoy's Creek Navigable.

Very respectfully,
H. S. HARMON,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Meacham moved that the special orders for to-day at half-past 10 and 11 o'clock be postponed until to-morrow at the same hours respectively ;

Which was agreed to.

On the question of the indefinite postponement of Senate Bill No. 14, the yeas and nays were called with the following result :

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Knight, Lykes, and Oliveros—3.

Those voting in the negative were—

Mr. President, Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Johnson, Long, McAuley, McKinnon, Meacham, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Smith, Sturtevant, and Wallace—20.

So the Senate refused to indefinitely postpone the bill, and it was placed among the orders of the day for a third reading to-morrow.

Assembly Bill No. 2 :

A bill to be entitled An act to Repeal Section 27 of Chapter 1,987, Laws of Florida,

Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Dennis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

In section one insert after "twenty-seven" the words "and twenty-eight." Strike out the repealing clause in section 1 of bill as it now stands, and insert section 2.

Sec. 28. Any railroad or canal company in this State shall have the power, and authority is hereby granted, to make and enter into contracts with any railroad or canal company which has constructed or shall hereafter construct any railroad or canal within this State, or another State, as will enable said companies to run their roads in connection with each other, and to merge their stock or to consolidate with any such company within or without this State, or to lease or purchase the stock and property of any other such company, and hold, use, and occupy the same in such manner as they shall deem most beneficial to their interests. It shall be lawful for such companies to build, construct and run as a part of their corporate property such number of steamboats or vessels as they may deem necessary to facilitate the business operations of such company or companies, be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

Mr. McCaskill moved that the amendment be laid on the table.

On the question of laying the amendment on the table, a division was called for, which showed the matter determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Dennis raised the point of order that the tabling of the amendment carried also with it the bill.

The President ruled that it did not.

No appeal having been taken, the bill was declared read a second time and placed among the orders of the day for a third reading to-morrow.

Senate Bill No. 26 :

A bill to be entitled An act to Provide for the Taking of the Census of the State of Florida,

Was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Cottrell moved that the bill be recommitted ;

Which was agreed to.

Assembly Bill No. 25 :

A bill to be entitled An act Fixing the Time for Holding the Terms of the Circuit Courts in the Third Judicial Circuit,

Was taken up on its third reading.

On the question, Shall the bill pass ?

The roll was called with the following result :

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Mr. President, Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Durkee, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Johnson, Long, Lykes, McAuley, Meacham, Osgood, Pope, Smith, Sturtevant, and Wallace—18.

Those voting in the negative were—None.

So the bill passed, title as read.

Assembly joint resolution relative to suit in the Supreme Court of the United States, &c.,

Was taken up on its third reading.

On the question of the adoption of the resolution, the roll was called with the following result :

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Mr. President, Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Knight, Long, Lykes, McAuley, McKinnon, Meacham, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Smith, Sturtevant, and Wallace—21.

Those voting in the negative were—

Mr. Johnson—1.

So the joint resolution was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 11 :

A bill to be entitled An act to Authorize Married Women to Convey their Separate Estate and Release Dower by Attorney, Was taken up and read a third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass ?

The roll was called with the following result :

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Mr. President, Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Durkee, Fortner, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Johnson, Long, McAuley, Smith, Sturtevant, and Wallace—15.

Those voting in the negative were—
Messrs. Knight, Lykes, Meacham, Oliveros, Osgood, and Parlin—6.

So the bill passed, title as read.

Mr. Meacham moved that the Senate go into Executive session :

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Smith moved that the Senate take a recess until two minutes to 12 o'clock ;

Which was agreed to, and the Senate was declared adjourned accordingly.

TWO MINUTES TO TWELVE.

The hour of 12 having arrived the Senate proceeded to the Assembly to meet the Assembly in joint session.

JOINT SESSION.

The Legislature met in joint session according to adjournment.

The President *pro tem.* of the Senate occupying the chair.

The President of the Senate ordered the Secretary to call the roll of the Senate.

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

Mr. President, Messrs. Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Hendry, Hill, Howell, Johnson, Knight, Long, Lykes, McAuley, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Smith, Startevant, and Wallace—21.

The Speaker of the Assembly ordered the Chief Clerk to call the roll of the Assembly.

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

Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Armstrong, Avery, Berry, Browne, Bryan, Carter, Chadwick, Coleman, Corley, Dennis, Duncan, Ferrell, Fisher, Frisbee, Gass, Gillis, Grant, Harris, Hagan, Hicks, Hill, Jackson, Jones of Escambia, Jones of Bradford, Jones of Levy, Judge, Lee, Livingston, Martin, McAlpin, McGuire, Mitchell, Morehead, Montgomery, Nixon, Orman, Petty, Pons, Purman, Roberts, Russell, Small, Stanfill, Sutton, Tilghman, Thompson, Tucker, Wilson, and Witherspoon—50.

The President *pro tem.* of the Senate ordered the Secretary to read that portion of the Senate Journal of Saturday which related to the ballot for United States Senator.

Mr. Osgood moved that the further reading of the Journal be dispensed with ;

Which was not agreed to.

The Journal was read and corrected.

Mr. Witherspoon moved that the Legislature now proceed to ballot for a United States Senator;

Which was agreed to.

The roll of the General Assembly was then called with the following result :

For D. S. Walker—Messrs. McCaskill, Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Fortner, Hendry, Knight, Lykes, McAuley, McKinnon, Oliveros, Smith, Hannah, Berry, Browne, Bryan, Carter, Corley, Duncan, Ferrell, Frisbee, Gillis, Hagan, Hill, Jackson, Jones of Escambia, Jones of Bradford, Jones of Levy, Judge, McAlpin, McGuire, Mitchell, Orman, Pons, Russell, Roberts, Stanfill, and Wilson—38.

For Samuel B. McLin—Messrs. Dennis, Durkee, Hill of Gadsden, Howell, Johnson, Meacham, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Sturtevant, Armstrong, Bass, Chadwick, Grant, Hicks, Martin, Montgomery, Nixon, Petty, Proctor, Purman, Small, Sutton, and Tucker—24.

For Samuel Walker—Messrs. Long, Wallace, Avery, Fisher, Gass, Morehead, and Thompson—7.

For James T. Magbee—Messrs. Dennis, Harris, Livingston, Tilghman, Washington, and Witherspoon—6.

For blank—Messrs. Coleman and Lee—2.

Total number of votes cast, 77.

Highest vote cast for any one candidate, 38.

No candidate having received a majority of the votes cast, the presiding officer declared that there was no election.

Mr. Wallace moved that the joint assembly do now adjourn.

On the question of adjournment the yeas and nays were called with the following result :

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Dennis, Durkee, Hill of Gadsden, Howell, Long, Meacham, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Sturtevant, Wallace, Avery, Chadwick, Coleman, Dennis of Jackson, Fisher, Gass, Grant, Livingston, Martin, Morehead, Nixon, Petty, Proctor, Purman, Small, Tilghman, Thompson, Washington, and Witherspoon—30.

Those voting in the negative were—

Messrs. McCaskill, Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Fortner, Hendry, Johnson, Knight, Lykes, McAuley, McKinnon, Oliveros, Smith, Hannah, Armstrong, Bass, Berry, Browne, Bryan, Carter, Corley, Duncan, Ferrell, Frisbee, Gillis, Harris, Hagan, Hicks, Hill, Jackson, Jones of Escambia, Jones of Bradford, Jones of Levy, Judge, Lee, McAlpin, McGuire, Mitchell, Montgomery, Orman, Pons, Roberts, Russell, Stanfill, Sutton, Tucker, and Wilson—47.

So the joint assembly refused to adjourn.

Mr. Witherspoon moved that the Legislature proceed to another ballot for United States Senator;

Which was agreed to.

The roll of the General Assembly was called with the following result:

For D. S. Walker—Messrs. McCaskill, Brantley, Cottrell, Crawford, Fortner, Hendry, Knight, Lykes, McAuley, McKinnon, Oliveros, Smith, Hannah, Berry, Browne, Bryan, Carter, Corley, Duncan, Ferrell, Frisbee, Gillis, Hagan, Jackson, Jones of Escambia, Jones of Bradford, Jones of Levy, Judge, McAlpin, McGuire, Mitchell, Orman, Pons, Russell, Roberts, Stanfill, and Wilson—37.

For S. B. McLin—Messrs. Dennis, Durkee, Hill, Howell, Johnson, Meacham, Osgood, Parlin, Pope, Sturtevant, Armstrong, Bass, Chadwick, Coleman, Gass, Grant, Harris, Hicks, Hill, Livingston, Martin, Montgomery, Nixon, Petty, Purman, Small, Thompson, Tucker, and Washington—29.

For Samuel Walker—Messrs. Long, Wallace, Avery, Fisher, and Morehead—5.

For James T. Magbee—Messrs. Dennis, Proctor, Tilghman, and Witherspoon—4.

For blank—Messrs. Lee and Sutton—2.

Total number of votes cast, 77.

Highest vote cast for any one candidate, 37.

Mr. Hicks moved that the joint session do now adjourn until to-morrow at 12;

Which was agreed to, and the joint session was declared adjourned accordingly.

SESSION OF THE SENATE.

The Senate returned to its Chamber and proceeded with its regular business.

Mr. Dennis moved that the Senate go into Executive session;

Which was agreed to.

AFTER EXECUTIVE SESSION.

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

Which was agreed to, and the Senate was declared adjourned accordingly.