

FRIDAY, May 13th, 1864.

The Convention met.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Patterson.

Present at the call of the roll, the following members:

Messrs. Goldsborough, President, Greene, Hebb, Wickard, Robinette, Miller, Harwood, Henkle, Hatch, Kennard, Stockbridge, Stirling, Daniel, Abbott, Cushing, Thomas, Berry, of Baltimore county, Ridgely, Parker, King, Smith, of Carroll, Ecker, Swope, Wooden, Jones, of Cecil, Earle, Scott, Pugh, Turner, Edelen, Mitchell, Todd, Carter, Noble, Keefer, Schley, Markey, Annan, Baker, Cunningham, Schlosser, McComas, Hopper, Russell, Hopkins, Sands, Sykes, Lansdale, Peter, Belt, Marbury, Morgan, Gale, Horsey, Mullikin, Delinger, Nyman, Negley, Mayhugh, Davis, of Washington, Sneary, Smith, of Worcester, Purnell, Murray.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Davis submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the Committee on the Legislative Department inquire into the expediency of creating the office of Treasurer in the several counties of the State, and providing for the election of the same;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Stirling submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That this Convention tenders the thanks of the State to the soldiers of Maryland in the army of General Grant, for the gallant manner in which they have behaved during the recent battles, and that this Convention expresses its deep sympathy with the families of the slain, and for the wounded in their sufferings;

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Hebb,

The rules were suspended, the resolution read the second time, and passed by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

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| Messrs. | King, | Schlosser, |
| Goldsborough, P't | Smith, of Carroll, | McComas, |
| Greene, | Ecker, | Hopper, |