relating to the courts of Baltimore city, was postponed and made the special order for Monday at 12 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Maulsby, section 12 which had been informally postponed on July 18th, was taken up.

The Convention, at 10 P. M., adjourned.

SIXTY-THIRD DAY.

ANNAPOLIS, SATURDAY, AUGUST 3.

Convention met at 10 o'clock. Prayer by Rev. Father Burke.

The judiciary report was taken up.

Section 38 was read.

Section 38. There shall be an Orphans' Court in the city of Baltimore, and in each of the counties of this State, to be held in the case of the city of Baltimore by one of the judges of the "Supreme Court of Baltimore City" assigned thereto, and in the case of the counties by the judges of the respective Circuit Courts, as follows: The associate judge of the Circuit Court shall be the judge of the Orphans' Court of the county in which he resides, and when the circuit is composed of three or more counties, in one or more of which no associate judge shall reside, one of said associates shall be assigned thereto by the judges of said circuit, who shall be the judge of the Orphans' Court of said county or counties; and each judge of the Orphans' Court of a county shall hold terms of his court in said county at such time or times as he may think the business of said court may require, or as the General Assembly may direct; provided, such terms shall never be less than four in each year, and in case any judge of the Orphans' Court shall be disqualified or unable to sit in any case pending in such court, any judge of the same circuit assigned thereto by the judge of the circuit may hear and determine the same in the place of such disqualified judge. All the acts of the said judges in said courts shall be done in the name of the Orphans' Court of said city and county, respectively, and when required, shall be so certified.

Mr. Merrick submitted the following as a substitute: