## FORTY-FIRST DAY.

ANNAPOLIS, FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 1867.

Convention met at 10 o'clock. Prayer by Rev. Mr. Henderson.

Mr. Page presented four petitions from citizens of Somerset county against the proposed new county scheme.

Mr. Ireland called up the order offered by Mr. Tarr, of Worcester, providing for a recess.

The order was amended so as to provide for an adjournment from tomorrow, the 29th, until Wednesday, July 10.

After some debate the order was adopted.

Mr. Archer, from the minority committee of the committee on the judiciary, made a report. It differs in several particulars from the majority report, but as the whole subject will undergo the consideration of the Convention, it is scarcely necessary to give it in detail.

Mr. Kennedy, of the committee appointed to make arrangements for the reception of the President, rose and read a dispatch dated New Haven, Conn., June 27, stating that the President would arrive in Baltimore today, and would reach Annapolis at  $10\frac{1}{2}$  tomorrow. The formal reception by the Convention would take place in this hall, after which the President would proceed to the Senate chamber and receive the citizens generally. He would then, with his suite, pay a visit of inspection to the Naval Academy, and on its conclusion would be escorted to the Government House, where he and his suite would be entertained, with the members of the Convention, by Governor Swann.

Mr. Jones, chairman of the committee appointed to wait on the President in Baltimore and escort him to Annapolis, submitted the following list of the committee: Allegany county, Mr. Roman; Anne Arundel county, Mr. Howison; first district of Baltimore city, Mr. Vansant; second do., Mr. Ritchie; third do, Mr. Merryman; Baltimore county, Mr. Buchanan; Calvert county, Mr. John Parran; Caroline county, Mr. Tarr; Carroll county, Mr. Longwell; Cecil county, Mr. McCormick; Charles county, Mr. Brent; Dorchester county, Mr. Goldsborough; Fred-