TUESDAY, Jan'y 23rd, 1900.

The Senate met at 12 M.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Sutherland.

Present at roll call the following Senators:

Messrs. President, Applegarth, Baker, Betts. Bouic, Brewington, Bryan, Crothers, Dennis, Dick, Dodson, Gray, Kirwan, Messick, Moore, Moses, Peter, Putzel, Ravenscroft, Rohrback, Wilkinson, Williams, of Harford, Williams, of Anne Arundel—23.

The Journal of Monday was read and approved.

## PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND OTHER PAPERS.

Mr. Moses, (by request,) presented a memorial from the Patriotic Society of Maryland to the General Assembly of Maryland.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Mr. Kirwan presented a petition from John O. Phillips, Jerome S. Jones and 547 other citizens of Queen Anne's county, asking for an amendment to the Local Option Laws of said county.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Rohrback presented a petition from Rev. Isaac M. Motter and one hundred and ninety-eight other citizens of Frederick county, asking for the passage of an Act empowering the County Commissioners of Frederick county, Maryland, to provide for scholarships to students of Frederick county in the Buckeystown Normal School, in said county

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Education.