

WEDNESDAY, May 25th, 1864.

The Convention met.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Patterson.

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

Messrs. Goldsborough, President, Abbott, Annon, Audoun, Baker, Barron, Belt, Berry, of Prince George's, Billingsley, Blackiston, Bond, Briscoe, Brooks, Brown, Carter, Clarke, Crawford, Cunningham, Cushing, Dail, Daniel, Davis, of Charles, Davis, of Washington, Dellinger, Earle, Ecker, Edelen, Farrow, Galloway, Greene, Harwood, Hatch, Hebb, Henkle, Hodson, Hoffman, Hollyday, Hopkins, Hopper, Horsey, Jones, of Cecil, Jones, of Somerset, Keefer, Kennard, King, Lee, Marbury, Markey, McComas, Mitchell, Miller, Morgan, Mullikin, Murray, Negley, Noble, Nyman, Parker, Parran, Peter, Pugh, Purnell, Ridgely, Robinette, Russell, Sands, ter, Smith, of Worcester, Sneary, Stirling, Stockbridge, Schley, Schlosser, Scott, Smith, of Carroll, Smith, of Dorches-Swope, Sykes, Thomas, Thruston, Todd, Valliant, Wickard, Wilmer, Wooden—85.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Valliant submitted the following order:

Ordered, That one hundred and thirty copies of the Rules and Orders for the government of the Convention be printed in pamphlet form for the use of the members;

The consideration of which was postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. Stirling submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the Committee on Accounts be authorized to pay to Mr. Garmond, of Washington county, for services rendered to the Committee on the Bill of Rights, such per diem as they may think reasonable;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Clarke from the Committee to consider and report respecting the Appointment, Tenure of Office, Duties and Compensation of all Civil Offices not embraced in the duties of other Standing Committees, submitted the following

REPORT:

The Committee to consider and report respecting the Appointment, Tenure of Office, Duties and Compensation of all