MONDAY, January 20, 1868.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Henderson.

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Stewart, (Speaker,) Coad, Boyer, Beck, Hammond, Iglehart, Deale, Bond of Calvert, Dalrymple, Chapman, Slingluff, Poteet, Biddison, Lowe, Horsey, Stewart, of Dorchester, Mearns, Keech, Guy, Sudler, Legg, Bowlus, Maynard, Byers, Hubbard, Sanner, Wentz, Blake, Latrobe, Pentland, Smith, of Baltimore city, Bond, of Baltimore city, Colton, Mullin, Chaisty, Harig, Markland, Marshall, Conway, Herbert, Rohrer, Offutt, Conley, McCulloh, Kean, Trimble, Hall, Jordan, Worthington, Fooks, Hopkins—51.

The Speaker laid before the House the reply of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City to an order of the House of Delegates;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Pentland presented the petition of sundry property owners and residents of the Yorktown turnpike, for permission for the Passenger Railroad to run their cars on Sunday the same as other days;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Poteet presented the petition of John Cunningham, James Mahool, and eighteen other citizens of Baltimore county, praying the passage of an Act to continue the present school system in force till July 15, 1868;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Biddison presented the petition of Sylvester Foard, B. A. Guyton and twenty-one other citizens of Baltimore county, praying the passage of an Act to continue the present school system in force till July 15, 1868;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Education.

Also, the petition of F. C. Fossett, Michael Chester and thirty other citizens of Baltimore county, praying the passage of an Act to continue the present school system in force till July 15, 1868;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Bond, of Calvert, presented the petition of John T. Bond and seventy-six other citizens of Calvert county, pray-