

THURSDAY, January 18, 1872.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Gorman, Speaker, Colton, of St. Mary's, Dunbar, Wilmer, Hurtt, Wells, Henkle, Bond, Sparrow, Chapman, Stone, Shipley, Turner, Foard, of Baltimore County, Litzinger, Spencer, Banks, Butler, Roach, Waller, Dougherty, Smith, Vickers, Radcliffe, Groome, Mearns, Penington, Scott, Bowie, Eareckson, Ford, of Queen Anne's, Franklin, Parker, Phillips, Rowe, Delaplane, Miller, Routzahn, Streett, Hardcastle, Dewese, McCosker, Hamilton, T. H., Cooper, Hamilton, C. R., Jamart, Foster, Staylor, Stewart, Travers, Clark, of Baltimore City, Colton, of Baltimore City, Kirk, Chaisty, Harig, Feig, McColgan, Markland, Griswold, Young, of Washington, Ardinger, Newcomer, Whitson, Hilton, Riggs, Clark, of Montgomery, Porter, Coles, Young, of Allegany, Steele, Lamotte, L. A. J., Polk, Lamotte, H. H., Linthicum, Johnson, Langrell—76.

Mr. Clark, of Balto. City, presented the petition of the Boys' Home Society of Baltimore, asking for an appropriation.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Young, of Washington county, presented the petition of Abigail Burns, asking for a pension.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Foard, of Balto. county, presented the petition of Shadrach Street and fifty-six other citizens of Baltimore and Harford counties, asking the passage of such Act or Acts as will compel the Baltimore and Harford Turnpike Company, to place their road in good and safe condition.

Which was read and referred to the Select Committee on that subject.

Mr. Jamart presented a petition for a pension, from Elizabeth Davy, widow of Hugh Davy, for correction and restoration.

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A petition for a pension from Eliza Ross, widow of David Ross, for correction and restoration.

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