

sembly since the Laws were codified, and also of the Constitution, and furnish the several delegations of the House with one copy each.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. C. H. Hamilton,  
At 3¼ o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, January 13th, 1874.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by the Rev. J. P. Hall.

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

Messrs. Hines, (Speaker,) Bond, Colton, Merritt, Henkle, Robinson, Nutwell, Bird, Turner, of Calvert, Lancaster, Hawkins, Keech, Buchanan, Matthews, Fowler, Merryman, Seth, Valliant, Sudler, Coulbourn, Duer, Gordy, Hodson, Groome, Turner, of Cecil, Mackey, Latchford, Robey, Kemp, Pruitt, Merrill, Koons, Miller, Lamar, Nicodemus, Annan, Grafton, Lee, Riley, Dawson, Williams, McCosker, T. H. Hamilton, Cooper, C. R. Hamilton, McWilliams, Foster, Staylor, Stewart, of Baltimore City, McAleese, Gill, Hart, Loane, Greenfield, McColgan, Harig, Joyce, Groh, Fenton, Berry, Freamer, Grimes, Stake, Clark, Watkins, Fletchall, Wier, Wack, Park, Brace, Waters, Vanderford, Galt, Brown, Maclin, Stewart, of Howard, Leonard, Bedsworth, West, Glotfelty—78.

The Journal of Thursday last was read.

The Speaker announced the following Standing Committees of the House:

*Committee on Elections.*—Messrs. Colton, Groome, T. H. Hamilton, Stewart, of Howard, Clark, Nutwell, Wier.

*Committee on Ways and Means.*—Messrs. Watkins, Greenfield, Buchanan, Freamer, Groome, Dawson, Loane, Sudler, Koons.

*Committee on Claims.*—Messrs. Foster, Harig, Leonard, Lee, Macklin, Merritt, Wack.

*Committee on the Judiciary.*—Messrs. Groome, Freamer, McColgan, Gill, Keech, Lee, Stewart, of Baltimore City, Seth, Brace.