The Speaker, in consequence of the illness of Mr. Fowler, appointed Mr. Keech a member of the Select Committee on the Extension of the Limits of Baltimore City.

On motion of Mr. Loane, At 2½ o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned.

## THURSDAY, February 12th, 1874.

The House met and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Father Oberley.

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

Messrs. Hines, (Speaker,) Bond, Merritt, Henkle, Robinson, Nutwell, Bird, Turner, of Calvert, Lancaster, Hawkins, Keech, Buchanan, Matthews, Merryman, Turner, of Balt. co., Seth, Valliant, Sudler, Coulbourn, Duer, Gordy, Johnson, Hodson, Turner, of Cecil, Mackey, Etchison, Latchford, Robey, Thompson, Kemp, Pruitt, Merrill, Koons, Miller, Lamar, Nicodemus, Annan, Grafton, Lee, Riley, Dawson, Williams, McCosker, T. H. Hamilton, Cooper, C. R. Hamilton, McWilliams, Staylor, Stewart, of Balt. city, McAleese, Gill, Hart, McColgan, Harig, Joyce, Groh, Fenton, Berry, Freaner, Grimes, Stake, Clark, Watkins, Fletchall, Wier, Park, Brace, Waters, Vanderford, Galt, Brown, Maclin, Stewart, of Howard, Leonard, Bedsworth, West, Glotfelty—75.

The Speaker laid before the House the memorial of Wm. B. Bowie, Chas. Clagett, R. B. B. Chew and one hundred and nineteen other citizens of Prince George's county, praying the Legislature to pass a law more fully defining domicil or citizenship.

Also,

The memorial of R. W. G. Baden, Thos. B. Craycrott, Joseph B. Edelin and seventy-two other citizens of Prince George's county, praying the Legislature to pass a law more fully defining domicil or citizenship.

Also,

The memorial of Richd. Wootton, B. B. Mullikin, Allen Clark and forty-nine other citizens of Prince George's county, praying the Legislature to pass a law more fully defining citizenship.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.