The bill entitled an Act to provide remedy at law for the recovery of debts due from married women,

Was considered and laid over until Wednesday next.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Earle until Tnesday next.

On motion by Mr. Billingsley, The Senate at 10.45 o'clock, adjourned.

## FRIDAY, March 20th, 1874.

The Senate met at 11 o'clock, A. M.

Prayer by Rev. Father Oberly.

Present at roll call the following Senators:

Messrs. President, Aydelott, Blake, Brewer, Billingsley, Brattan, Crawford, Claggett, Davis, Denson, Fields, Knight, Longwell, Lloyd, Mudd, McCulloh, Phelps, Steiner, Spencer, Suit, Williams, Walsh—22.

The proceedings of yesterday were read and approved.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication:

Baltimore, March 19th, 1874.

Hon. John Lee Carroll,

President of the Senate:

My Dear Sir:—I have the honor, on behalf of the Maryland Inebriate Asylum, to invite you, and through you, the Senate of Maryland, to attend a meeting in behalf of the Asylum, to be held at Ford's Grand Opera House on Sunday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock.

Addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Thomas Guard and others.

Seats will be reserved on the stage for the Governor and members of the General Assembly.

Trusting it may be the pleasure of the Senate to attend,
I have the honor to be,

Most respectfully yours,

Joseph Parrish, Supt. of Asylum.

Which was read.