

WEDNESDAY, January 27, 1904.

The House met at 11 a. m. and was opened with prayer by the Rev. James Earle Maloy.

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Speaker, Buckler, Atkinson, Gibbs, Atwell, Downs, Duvall, Lowman, Bond, Simmons, Smoot, Walbach, Benson, Cockey, Fitzsimmons, Green, Stevenson, Collins, Dodson, Jackson, Milbourne, Miles, Riggin, Hopkins, Wingate, Jones, Murphy, of Dorchester, Keys, Kirk, Fryer, Hill, Ray, Tighe, Wells, Walls, Butler, Wilson, Carey, Dennis, Kirbin, Crawford, Harrison, Harry, Hiteshew, Smith, Andrew, Carroll, Hitchcock, McComas, Goslin, Willey, Becker, Bosse, Evans, Lipman, Norris, Reed, Hall, Morrison, Murphy, of Baltimore city; Orem, Roth, Trager, Bouchet, Dawkins, Durham, Grant, Linthicum, Moore, Bald, Godwin, Henkel, Lock, Miller, Pairo, Baker, Bingham, Charles, Mitchell, Tennant, Amiss, Johnston, Landsdale, Williams, Drumm, Feaga, Loar, Stump, Jenkins, Fuss, Haines, Kain, Oursler, Gill, Pearre, Bennett, Hearn, Messick, Harvey, Howard—100.

The Journal of January 26th was read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, &c.

Mr. Speaker presented contesties evidence in the case of Chaney and Paddy vs. Bond and Simmons, of Calvert county.

Which was read and referred to Committee on Elections.

ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Buckler, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Wilkinson be excused on account of business.