

MONDAY, May 13, 1861.

The House met, and was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Dr. Zacharias.

Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Kilbourn, Speaker, Morgan, Rasin, Medders, Welch, Mackubin, Compton, Ford, Worthington, Denison, Quinlan, Renshaw, Jones, of Talbot, Chaplain, Keene, Holland, Maxwell, Miller, Bryan, Wootten, Jones, of Prince George's, Legg, Starkey, Landing, Kessler, Claggett, Routzahn, Johnson, Salmon, Straughn, Goldsborough, Warfield, Brune, Winans, Pitts, Harrison, Thomas, Wallis, Sangston, Morfit, Scott, Wilson, of Harford, Bayless, McCoy, Eakle, Brining, Fiery, Stake, Harding, McCleary, Roop, Gorsuch and Mills.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Medders presented the following :

ELKTON, CECIL COUNTY, MD.,
May 6th, 1861.

To the Hon.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

SIR :—I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the House of Delegates of Maryland ; I do this in consequence of having removed from Cecil county, and the doubts I entertain as to my qualification growing out of my change of residence from this, the county, I was elected to represent.

In justice to the people of Cecil county, my former constituents, I trust that immediate steps may be taken to have the vacancy filled.

I have the honor to be,
very respectfully, your ob't. servant,
ALEX. WILSON.

On motion of Mr. Maxwell,

The resignation was accepted.

Mr. Salmon proposed the following :

Ordered, That the Librarian be instructed to take charge of all the writing material, &c., which the members leave in this house and to hold it in readiness for the next meeting, on the 4th of June.