Maxwell, Wallis, Roop, · Legg, Scott, Gorsuch, Turner-31. NEGATIVE. Messrs. Welch, Bryan, Harrison, Mackubin, Wilson, of Har, Jacobs, Dennis, of Wor. Bayless, Parran,

Burgess, Salmon, McCoy, Worthington, Straughn, Coudy, Chaplain, Goldsborough, Brining, Dennis, of Som't Griffith, Brune, Holland, Warfield, Brown-24. So the House at 12 o'clock adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, May 1, 1861.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by Rev. Mr. Diehl.

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

Messrs. Kilbourn, Speaker, Durant, Morgan, Medders, Welch, Mackubin, Briscoe, Parran, Compton, Burgess, Ford, Worthington, Denison, Quinlan, Renshaw, Jones, of Talbot, Chaplain, Dennis, of Somerset, Long, Lawson, Keene, Holland, Maxwell, Bryan, Jones, of Prince George's, Legg, Starkey, Jacobs, Landing, Dennis, of Worcester, Kessler, Claggett, Johnson, Salmon, Naill, Straughn, Goldsborough, Warfield, Brune, Winans, Pitts, Thomas, Wallis, Sangston, Morfit, Scott, Wilson, of Harford, Bayless, McCoy, Coudy, Eakle, Brining, Stake, Griffith, Harding, Gordon, Barnard, McCleary, Roop, Gorsuch, Mills, Turner and Brown.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The Speaker laid before the House a petition of citizens of Washington county, praying the House not to pass an ordinance of secession;