

TUESDAY, March 21st, 1865.

The House met and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Owen.

Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Frazier, (Sp'k,) Agnew, Anderson, Angel, Bartell, Calvert, Cairns, Chew, Clift, Comegys, Cook, Cronise, Cummins, Dean, Eavey, Everhart, Fooks, Garrison, Hambleton, Handy, Harris, Hazen, Hodson, Holloway, Hopkins, Jones, Keefer, King, Leaverton, Lee, of Baltimore City, Lee, of Q. Anne's, Lusby, Malone, Markey, McCauley, McCullough, Miller, of Washington, Mules, Nairne, Norris, Parker, Pennington, Pilkington, Poteet, Rider, Robinson, Shaw, Sherry, Showacre, Silver, Slothower, Smith, of Allegany, Smith, of Frederick, Soper, Stewart, Tarr, Tolson, Tull. Usilton, Valiant, Wardwell, Warner, Watkins, Williams, Wilson, Zeigler—64.

The proceedings of yesterday were read and approved.

Mr. Anderson submitted the following message :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

March 21st, 1865.

*Gentlemen of the Senate :*

We respectfully ask you to return to this House the bill to provide a uniform system of charges in the office of clerks of courts of the several counties. Said bill was inadvertently placed with others sent to the Senate, and has not yet passed the House.

By order,

W. R. COLE,

Chief Clerk.

Which was read, assented to and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Handy presented two petitions from citizens of Somerset county against the division of said county, and the formation of a new county out of portions of Somerset and Worcester counties.

Which were read and referred to the select committee on the subject.

Mr. Sherry presented a petition from citizens living on the line of the National Road in Maryland, praying redress, &c.,

Which was read and referred to the Allegany county delegation.