Committee Clerk—Richard H. Middleton.

Assistant Postmaster—William R. Hammond.

Assistant Folder-Esma Lowe.

On motion of Mr. Lusby,

The House adjourned until Monday, at 12 o'clock.

## MONDAY, January 18, 1864.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Davenport, Chaplain of the House.

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Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Dent, Martin, Westcott, Claude, Henkle, Ireland, Davis, Carrico, Hoffman, Pearce, of Baltimore county, Lusby, Lester, Kerr, McNeal, Mathews, Hyland, Handy, Douglass, Elliott, Frazier, Brohawn, Clarke, Herbert, Pierce, of Queen Anne's, Tolson, Duncan, Smith, Murray, of Worcester, Hammond, Biggs, Hitchcock, Archer, Ridgaway, Barron, Stevens, Stockbridge, Lee, Murray, of Baltimore city, Dundon, Boswell, Cushwa, Masters, Miller, Gantz, Zeigler, Fawcett, Young, Greene, Shaw, Brown, Hebb, Ecker, Sykes and Tyson.

The proceedings of Friday were read and approved.

Mr. Tyson presented a petition from Thomas Luny and others, praying an amendment of section 7 of article 84 of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to Schools;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Davis presented a petition from Samuel Robertson and others, citizens of Charles county, praying the passage of a law to change the name of Samuel Robertson to that of Samuel Cox;

Which was read and referred to the Charles county delegation.