EVENING SESSION, 71 o'clock.

The House met.

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Berry, Sp'r, Dent, Walton, Nutwell, Magruder, Given, Ensor, Pearce, Kerr, Dougherty, Gunby, Turner, Carroll, Leckie, Creswell, McIntire, Morton, Duvall, Bowie, McCollister, Kemp, Purnell, Biggs, Johnson, of Frederick, Harris, of Frederick, Dove, Price, Warner, Wolf, Stockdale, Taylor, Mathews, Pearson, Rohrer, Dunlop, White, Lowe, Chamberlain, Hammond, of Howard, and Donaldson.

On motion of Mr. Warner,

Mr. Purnell was excused from further attendance during this session.

On motion of Mr. Purnell,

The Postmaster was excused from further service this session.

On motion of Mr. Price,

The House adjourned.

TUESDAY, December 24th, 1861.

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

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs, Berry, Sp'r., Dent, Walton, Nutwell, Bond, Magruder, Given, Ensor, Pearce, Kerr, Carroll, Leckie, Creswell, McIntire, Morton, Duvall, McCollister, Kemp, McCoy, Dove, Price, Warner, Wolf, Reese, Taylor, Alexander, Mathews, Lowe, Chamberlain, Hammond, of Howard, and Donaldson.