Delegates for the purpose aforesaid. We have appointed Messrs. Lehmayer, Lakin, Stewart, Kimble, Krems.

By order,

B. L. SMITH, Chief Clerk.

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

The committee on the part of the House to notify the Governor of the organization of the House, returned and reported that they had waited upon the Governor and he had informed them that he would, in a few moments, communicate with the House in writing.

The Secretary of State appeared and delivered the following message from his Excellency, the Governor:

STATE OF MARYLAND,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Annapolis, Jan. 3d, 1900.

To the Honorable Lloyd Wilkinson,

Speaker of the House of Delegates:

SIR:—I have the honor to transmit to you a type-written copy of my message to the General Assembly of Maryland.

LLOYD LOWNDES,

Governor.

Which was read.

[SEE DOCUMENT A.]

The Secretary of the Senate appeared and delivered the following message:

BY THE SENATE,

January 3rd, 1900.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message proposing that when the General Assembly adjourns to-day, it stands adjourned until Tuesday next, 9th instant, at 8 o'clock, P. M., and concur therein.

By order,

ALFRED RITTER,

Secretary.

Which was read.