

the requirements of the Constitution and laws of the State.

We will appoint a committee to wait upon your Honorable Body and conduct you to the Senate Chamber.

By order,

ALFRED RITTER,
Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. Mitchell submitted the following message :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

January 10th, 1900.

We have received your message inviting the presence of the House of Delegates to-day at 12 o'clock, M. to participate with you in the inauguration of the Governor-elect, and to witness the administration of the oath of office to him by the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals in compliance with the requirements of the Constitution and laws of the State. We accept the invitation, and will be in readiness to be conducted to the Senate Chamber by your committee.

By order,

B. L. SMITH,
Chief Clerk.

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

LEAVES TO INTRODUCE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Ditty,

Leave was granted to introduce a bill for the selling of corn in Annapolis city by weight, and to establish scales therefor.

Referred to the Anne Arundel county delegation.

On motion of Mr. Norris,

Leave was granted to the Carroll county delegation to introduce a bill entitled an Act to authorize the Mayor and Common Council of the town of Union Bridge, Carroll county, Maryland, to issue bonds to raise money to pay off the amount of outstanding bonds heretofore