

At 2.05 P. M.,

On motion of Mr. Moses,
The Senate resumed legislative business.

At 2.08 P. M.,

On motion of Mr. Beasman,
The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, Feb. 1, 1900.

The Senate met at 12 M.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Winston.

Present at the roll call the following Senators :

Messrs. President, Applegarth, Beasman, Bouic, Bryan, Crothers, Dennis, Dick, Gray, Kirwan, Marsh, Messick, Moore, Moses, Peter, Putzel, Ravenscroft, Rohrback, Wilkinson, Williams, of Harford, Williams, of Anne Arundel—21.

The Journal of Wednesday was read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND OTHER PAPERS.

Mr. Bouic, (by request),

Presented the following communication :

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Washington, D. C.,

January 18, 1900.

To the Honorable, the

Senators and Representatives of the

Southern States:

DEAR SIR: Permit me to introduce to you and to commend to your favorable consideration Dr. Lee Davis,