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Mr. Peter offered the following :

Ordered by the Senate, That a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to distribute to the various committees, when appointed, the recommendations made by his Excellency, the Governor, in his message.

Which was adopted.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Peter, Bryan and Dick as the Select Committee.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates appeared and delivered the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

January 3, 1900.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We respectfully propose with the concurrence of your Honorable Body that the Senate and House of Delegates meet in the hall of the House of Delegates at 2.30 o'clock P. M., January 3rd, 1900, when the Speaker shall preside, and in the presence of both houses open the returns of Election for Governor of the State in conformity with the requirements of Article 2, section 3, Constitution of Maryland.

We have appointed five members as a committee to escort your Honorable Body to the Hall of the House of Delegates for the purpose aforesaid.

We have appointed Messrs. Lehmayr, Stewart, Laken, Kimball and Krems.

By order,

B. L. SMITH,

Chief Clerk.

Which was read.

Mr. Peter submitted the following message:

BY THE SENATE.

January 3rd, 1900.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates.

We have recieved your message proposing that the Senate shall meet the House of Delegates in the Hall of the House of Delegates at 2;30 o'clock P. M., this 3rd day of January 1900, when the Speaker of the House of Delegates shall preside, and in the presence of both