

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following message :

BY THE SENATE,

January 24, 1868.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :

We propose with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, the appointment of a Joint Committee, consisting of three members of the Senate and four members of the House of Delegates, to inform the Hon. Robert Fowler of his election as State Treasurer for two years from and after the day of his qualification as such.

We have appointed on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Clark, Spates and Earle.

By order,

A. GASSAWAY,

Secretary.

Which was read.

Also returned the bill entitled an Act to amend the charter of the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad Company, passed at January session, 1849, chapter 469.

Also the bill entitled an Act limiting the number of Justices of the Peace and Constables in Wicomico county.

Severally endorsed, "Passed by yeas and nays."

Mr. Herbert submitted the following message :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

January 24, 1868.

Gentlemen of the Senate :

Your message proposing the appointment of a Joint Committee to wait upon the Hon. Robert Fowler, and inform him of his election as Treasurer of the State of Maryland, has been received and we respectfully concur therein.

We have appointed on the part of this House, Messrs. Herbert, Conway, Albaugh and Boyer.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD,

Chief Clerk.

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

Mr. Blake submitted the following order :

Ordered, That it be placed on the Journal that Messrs. Robb, Biddison, Vandiver, Percy and Chapman, are absent on business connected with this House.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Beck,