

report whatever legislation is necessary in the premises. We have appointed on the part of the House Messrs. Nicolai, Pentland, Holmes and Herbert.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk.

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

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The vote by which the order was adopted on Friday last, instructing the Committee on Claims to pay to each of the officers of the last House of Delegates who have officiated in the organization of the present House, five days per diem, was reconsidered ;

The question then recurring upon the adoption of the order,

Mr. Brown submitted the following amendment :

Strike out the word " five," before the word " days," and insert the word " eight ;"

Which was adopted.

The order as amended, was then adopted.

Mr. McElroy (the rules being suspended,) submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the Librarian furnish to the members and officers of the House of Delegates the same articles of stationery as furnished at the last session, if required, not to exceed the amount limited by law ;

Which, on motion of Mr. Chaisty,

Was laid on the table.

Mr. Montague, (the rules being suspended,) submitted the following order.

Ordered, That a committee of six be appointed to take under consideration section 58, Article 3, of the Constitution, who shall report such measures as they may deem advisable for the purpose of effectually carrying out the provisions of said Article.

Which was read, and

On motion by Mr. Smith, of Baltimore city,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Nicolai, Chairman of the select committee, submitted the following report :

The special committee, to whom was referred the duty of distributing to appropriate committees the several subjects considered in the Governor's Message, respectfully report the following references :

Ordered, That all subjects relating to Finance, to the Committee of Ways and Means.

In relation to the Public School system, to the Committee on Education.

In reference to the Militia, to the Committee on Militia.