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Carroll, Clarke, Henkle, Henry,

Spates, Timmons, Wilson.—13.

The Senators then proceeded to a second ballot for State Treasurer.

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

By the House of Delegates, January 18, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

The House of Delegates propose to your Honorable Body that the two Houses, attended by their Clerks and Sergeants-at-Arms, meet in the Hall of the House of Delegates, for the purpose of conducting the election of State Treasurer; the ballots of the members of each House to be collected by its own tellers, and all ballots to be counted in the presence of the two Houses, by its tellers, and to be announced by the respective presiding officers of the two Houses; the Rules of the House of Delegates, so far as applicable, to govern the Joint Sessions, and the Speaker of the House of Delegates to preside over the Joint Sessions, with the President of the Senate seated on his right hand.

By order,

MIĹTON Y. KIDD, Chief Clerk.

Mr. Earle moved a suspension of the balloting for Treasurer, in order to prepare a suitable response.

Mr. Henkle made the point of order, that when the sense of the Senate is being taken upon a question, it is not pertinent to entertain another motion until the previously pending motion has been disposed of.

The President ruled Mr. Earle's motion out of order.

The Senators then proceeded to vote for Treasurer.

Upon the conclusion of which,

Mr. Henkle submitted the following message:

By THE SENATE, January 18, 1870.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message, proposing that the two Houses of the General Assembly go into Joint Convention for the purpose of electing a Treasurer, and non-concur therein, for the reason, that according to the ruling of the