

WEDNESDAY, January 19, 1870.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hildt.

Present at roll call, the following Senators :

Messrs. President, Biggs, Browne, Carroll, Clarke, Denson, Earle, Fields, Henry, Hyland, Jump, Maddox, Malone, Miller, Sellman, Snyder, Spates, Stephenson, Timmons, Welch, Wilson—21.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

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

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
January 19, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate :

We propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body to proceed to count the ballot cast yesterday for State Treasurer.

By order,
MILTON Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk.

Which was read.

Mr. Earle presented the memorial of Isabella Brown and others, preferred bondholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, asking for relief,

Which was read,

And referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Denson presented the petition of Maria O. Bassford, widow of Thomas W. Bassford, asking for a pension,

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Wilson presented the petition of Mary Higgins, of Prince George's county, for a pension,

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Welch presented the petition of sundry citizens of Kent, asking an increase in the fees of Magistrates in said county,

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.