

On motion by Mr. Stephenson,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing appointments, agreeably to the nominations of the 18th of February, instant.

On motion by Mr. Grove,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the appointments for Washington county,

And on his motion

The Senate advised and consented to said appointments, agreeably to the nominations of the 25th of January, ultimo.

On motion by Mr. Snyder,

The Senate resumed the consideration of Legislative business.

MONDAY, February 23d, 1870.

The following communications which had been received from His Excellency, Governor Bowie, by the hands of Richard C. Hollyday, Esq., Secretary of State, were read :

STATE OF MARYLAND,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, February 18th, 1870.

*Gentlemen of the Senate of Maryland :*

I nominate to you the following named gentlemen as Notary Public, Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Officers of Registration, for Howard county :

*Notary Public at Ellicott City.*

Lewis J. Watkins.

*Coroners.*

Ephraim Gallagher, Samuel J. Ratcliff.