and three on the part of the House, to take into consideration the number of officers necessary for the transaction of the business of the two Houses of the General Assembly, respectively, and to report by bill, or otherwise regulating their number, compensation &c., and concur therein.

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

By Order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,

Secretary.

Which was read.

Also, the following message:

By THE SENATE, March 3d, 1870.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received a message from your Honorable Body, inviting the Senate to meet in joint meeting in the Hall of the House of Delegates, on Thursday, the 10th, instant, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of proceeding to the election of a Police Commissioner for the City of Baltimore, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Lefever Jarrett, Esq., and also, to elect a Police Commissioner for the term of four years, commencing on the 15th day of March, 1871, and concur therein.

By order,

'Augustus Gassaway, Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. Turner moved that the bill entitled an Act to amend the Act of 1860, chapter 265, entitled an Act to incorporate the Consolidation Coal Company, which had been reported favorably from the Committee on Corporations, this day, be recommitted to said Committee.

Pending the consideration of which,

On motion of Mr. Webb,

At 23 o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, A. M.