

Mr. Kilbourn, acting Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported favorably,

A bill entitled an Act making appropriations for the support of the Government for the year ending the first day of January 1872.

Which was read a first time.

The hour of 12 o'clock, M., having arrived, being the time agreed upon between the two Houses, to proceed to the election of a Police Commissioner for the City of Baltimore, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Lefevre Jarrett; and to elect a Commissioner for the full term of four years from March, 1871, as required by the Act of Assembly of 1867, chapter 367,

Mr. Sanner submitted the following message :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
March 10, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate :

In concurrence with a message adopted March 2nd, we respectfully solicit the presence of your Honorable Body in this Hall this day 12, M., to go into an election for Police Commissioner.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk.

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

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following message :

BY THE SENATE,
March 10th, 1870.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :

We have received your message inviting this Body into the Hall of the House of Delegates to proceed to the election of a Commissioner of Police for the City of Baltimore, in conformity with the arrangement heretofore agreed upon by a concurrent vote of both Houses, and will in a few moments meet your House in Joint Convention.

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. McLane nominated, John W. Davis, of Baltimore city.

Mr. Brattan nominated Samuel G. Miles, of Baltimore city.