

Mr. Riggs, Chairman of a Select Committee, (the rules being suspended,) reported favorably a bill, entitled an Act to repeal section 39, of Article XV., of the Code of Public Local Laws entitled "Montgomery County," relating to Justices of the Peace and Constables in said county, and to re-enact the same so as to read as follows.

Which was read a first time.

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following message :

BY THE SENATE,
January 19, 1872.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :

We have received your message proposing the appointment of a Joint Special Committee, whose duty it shall be to inform the Hon. George R. Dennis of his election to the United States Senate.

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

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary.

Which was read.

Also, delivered the following bill:

A bill, entitled an Act directing the County Commissioners of Washington county, to issue bonds to raise money to build a Court House in said county, and appointing Commissioners to contract to erect the same.

Endorsed, "Passed by yeas and nays."

Which was read a first time, and

Referred to the Select Committee on that subject.

On motion of Mr. Stone,

At 1½ o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned until Tuesday next, 23d inst., at 12 o'clock, noon.