

Was read the third time, and passed by yeas and nays, as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,
Compton,
Claggett,
Denson,
Downs,
Dennis,
Earle,
Fields,

Jump,
Longwell,
Miller,
Spates,
Sellman,
Spencer,
Steiner,
Wilson—16.

NEGATIVE—None.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Spates moved to proceed to business in regular alphabetical order.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Earle, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably on

The House bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to pay the claims of Kelly, Piet & Co.

Which was read the second time.

Mr. Earle, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably on

The House bill entitled an Act to authorize the Comptroller to settle the claim of Laurence D. Deitz and William A. Tolly.

Which was read the second time.

Mr. Fields submitted the following message:

BY THE SENATE,
April 1st, 1872.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We propose with your concurrence, the appointment of a Joint Committee, to consist of two members of the Senate, and three members of the Houses to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the General Assembly propose to adjourn at 12 o'clock, midnight, and inquire of him whether he has any further communication to make to them.

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

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary.