

WEDNESDAY, March 18, 1874.

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

STATE OF MARYLAND,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, March 14, 1874.

*Gentlemen of the Senate of Maryland:*

I have the honor to make the following nomination for Charles county:

*Justice of the Peace.*

7th District—Thomas R. Halley.

JAMES BLACK GROOME.

On motion by Mr. Mudd,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing appointment agreeably to the nomination.

STATE OF MARYLAND,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, March 18, 1874.

*Gentlemen of the Senate of Maryland:*

I have the honor to make the following nominations for Worcester county:

*Justices of the Peace.*

3rd District—James M. Brattan, in place of John R. Purnell, declined.

*Notary Public.*

J. D. A. Robinson, at Newtown, in place of Isaac H. Merrill, declined.

JAMES BLACK GROOME.