

The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
January 8th, 1874.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

By the concurrence of your Honorable Body, we propose that when this General Assembly adjourns, it stand adjourned until Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, M.

By order,
MILTON Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk.

Which was read.

Mr. Walsh submitted the following message:

BY THE SENATE,
January 8th, 1874.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message proposing "that when this General Assembly adjourns it stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 13th inst., at 12 o'clock, M.," and concur therein.

By order,
AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary.

Which was read, assented to and sent to the House of Delegates.

On motion by Mr. Blake, it was

Ordered, That the Public Printers print for the use of the Senate, the same number of copies of the Governor's Message, and of the other Public Documents, as was authorized by the Senate of 1872.

Mr. Blake submitted the following order:

Ordered, That James T. Blackstone, late Sergeant-at-Arms, William L. Arringdale, late Folder, and David Fitzgerald, late Messenger, be each paid for eight days attendance on the Senate, at the rates prescribed by the preceding Session of the Legislature, together with mileage.

Which was read and adopted.

On motion by Mr. Earle,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Brattan until Wednesday next.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication from the Comptroller of the Treasury, with accompanying Documents: