

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following message:

BY THE SENATE,  
February 2d, 1874.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :*

We have received your message in relation to the notification of the Hon. Barnes Compton of his election as Treasurer, and respectfully concur therein.

We have appointed on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Stevens and Davis.

By order,  
A. GASSAWAY,  
Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. Johnson submitted the following message:

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*Gentlemen of the Senate :*

We propose, with your concurrence, the appointment of a Select Committee of three on the part of the House, and two on the part of the Senate, to communicate with the Governor of Virginia on the subject of the Potomac Fisheries, relative to the fact that neither the Act of 1860, Article 41, nor the Act of 1870, chapter 205, relating to the Potomac Shad and Herring Fisheries, are of any force or effect, by reason of the non-concurrence of the authorities of Virginia, and the said Committee to report the result to this Legislature at the earliest practicable day; and we name on the part of this House Messrs. Johnson, Stewart, of Baltimore city, and Bond.

By order,  
MILTON Y. KIDD,  
Chief Clerk.

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

On motion of Mr. Stake,

At 2½ o'clock, P. M., the House adjourned.