

EVENING SESSION.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 11th, 1874.

The Senate met.

Present the following Senators :

Messrs. President, Blake, Brewer, Brattan, Crawford, Claggett, Davis, Denson, Earle, Fields, Getty, Knight, Longwell, Lloyd, Mudd, McCulloh, Phelps, Stevens, Steiner, Spencer, Suit, Williams, Walsh—23.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the unfinished business of the morning session,

Being the amendment submitted by Mr. Stevens to the Senate bill in relation to Immigration,

On motion by Mr. Stevens,

The consideration of the said bill was postponed until Friday next.

On motion by Mr. Earle,

The members of the Committee on Finance were permitted to withdraw from the Senate to consider important matters before said Committee.

The President announced the following message from the House of Delegates :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

March 11th, 1874.

Gentlemen of the Senate :

We have received your message, asking the return of House bill entitled an Act to repeal so much of the Act passed at January Session, 1870, chapter 434, entitled an Act to extend the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace, &c., and herewith return the same.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk

Also, returned

The Senate Joint Resolutions against the passage of the supplemental civil rights bill.

Endorsed, 'Reported from Committee on Federal Rela-