

On motion by Mr. Evans, it was Ordered, That the order which referred the communication of Spencer C. Jones, concerning the State Printing, to the Committee on Printing, be so amended as to require the prices of the lowest bidder *only* to be spread upon the minutes, after the Committee on Printing shall have examined the same.

Which was read and rejected.

On motion by Mr. Toadvin, it was Ordered, That the Postmaster of the Senate be and he is hereby directed to furnish to each Senator, the Secretary, Journal Clerk and Reading Clerk \$25.00 worth of postage stamps, and the other elected officers of the Senate each with \$5.00 worth of postage stamps.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance (hereafter to be appointed.)

On motion by Mr. Austin, it was

Ordered, That the thanks of this Senate are hereby tendered to the Hon. Edward Wootton for the able and dignified discharge of the duties of Speaker *pro tem.* of this Senate.

On motion by Mr. Waters, it was

Ordered, That the rules governing the proceedings of the Senate of 1890 be adopted by this Senate, subject to such alteration or revision as may be hereafter made.

On motion by Mr. Smith,

The Senate at 1.15 P. M., took a recess until 1.45. At 1.45 P. M., the Senators reassembled in the Senate Chamber.

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

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,  
January 6, 1892.

*Gentlemen of the Senate:*

We respectfully propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, that the Senate and House of Delegates meet in the Hall of the House of Delegates at 2.10 P. M., January 6th, 1892, when the Speaker shall preside, and, in the presence of both Houses,