

Mr. Hayes presented the following message:

BY THE SENATE,

January 13th, 1892.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:*

We respectfully propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, the appointment of a joint committee of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House, to wait upon the Judges of the Court of Appeals to invite them to be present at the inauguration ceremonies of the Governor-elect.

We have named on the part of the Senate Messrs. Hayes and Rogers.

By order,

W. G. PURNELL,  
Secretary.

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

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#### ORDERS.

On motion by Mr. Toadvin, it was

Ordered, That a committee be appointed to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor, and ascertain if he desired to make any communication to the Senate.

The President appointed Messrs. Toadvin and Getty.

On motion by Mr. Posey, it was

Ordered, That Senators Wilkinson and Hubner be excused from attendance upon to-day's session.

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#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Gorter, the following bills:

Senate bill entitled an Act in relation to the conditional release of offenders.

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments sections 139 to 141 inclusive of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Health-Hours of Labor of Children."

Senate bill entitled an Act in relation to the adoption of minor children.

Senate bill entitled an Act in relation to the sentences of convict minors.