

the Senate and five on the part of the House, who together with the Board of Public Works, shall be requested to immediately confer with the Mayor of Baltimore city for the purpose of determining what assistance the State of Maryland can render to the city to relieve the immediate distress caused by the disastrous fire, and that said committee be requested to meet at once and report back to the Legislature forthwith.

We have named on the part of the House, Messrs. Goslin, Morrison, Moore, Wells and Henkel.

By order,

B. L. SMITH,
Chief Clerk.

Which was read and sent to the Senate.

The Secretary of the Senate appeared and delivered the following message :

BY THE SENATE,

February 9th, 1904.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :

We have received your message, requesting the appointment of a Joint Committee who, together with the Board of Public Works, shall meet the Mayor of Baltimore city, for the purpose of determining what assistance the State of Maryland, can render to the city of Baltimore, to relieve the immediate distress caused by the fire, and we concur therein.

We have appointed on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Robinson, Gill and Dixon.

By order,

ROBERT MOSS,
Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Norris,

At the hour of 1.20 p. m.,

The House took a recess until 2 p. m.