

The Sergeant-at-Arms returned and reported that he had notified the absent Senators that their attendance was required at the Senate Chamber.

On motion of Mr. Yellott,

The joint resolutions relating to the appointment of a committee to wait on the President of the United States, the President of the Southern Confederacy, the Governor of Pennsylvania, and the Governor of Virginia,

Were taken up.

Mr. Stone moved a call of the Senate, when the following Senators answered to their names :

Messrs. Blackistone, Bradley, Duvall, Dashiell, Gardiner, Heckart, Kimmel, Lynch, McKaig, Miles, Nuttle, Smith, Stone, Townsend, Watkins, Whitaker, and Yellott—17.

Mr. Yellott moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

The yeas and nays being demanded, appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Brooke, President;	McKaig,
Blackistone,	Miles,
Duvall,	Townsend,
Dashiell,	Watkins,
Gardiner,	Whitaker,
Heckart,	Yellott—13.
Lynch,	

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Bradley,	Nuttle,
Goldsborough, of Talbot;	Smith,
Kimmel,	Stone—6.

So the further proceedings under the call was dispensed with.

The question was then taken upon the passage of the resolutions.

The yeas and nays being demanded, appeared as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Brooke, President;	Lynch,
Blackistone,	McKaig,
Duvall,	Miles,
Dashiell,	Townsend,
Franklin,	Watkins,
Gardiner,	Whitaker,
Heckart,	Yellott—14.