

ANNAPOLIS, Wednesday, January 26, 1916.

The Senate met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer by Rev. H. P. Baker.

Present at roll call the following Senators:

Messrs.—

President	Chesley	Holmead	Mudd	Warfield
Allen	Collier	Johnson	Norris	Williams
Archer	Cooper	Jones	Ogden	
Bennett	Duvall	Joy	Parsons	
Bomberger	Frick	Kaufman	Shepherd	
Brown	Harrison	Legg	Speicher	—26

The Journal of Tuesday, January 25, 1916, was read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND OTHER PAPERS.

The President submitted the following:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ANNAPOLIS, January 26, 1916.

To the President of the Senate.

SIR:

By direction of the Governor, I enclose herewith a copy of his proclamation designating Thursday, January 27, "Jewish Relief Day."

Yours truly,

THOS. W. SIMMONS,

Secretary of State.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, The President of the United States, by his proclamation, has designated Thursday, January 27, 1916, as "Jewish Relief Day," in aid of the nine million Jewish sufferers by reason of the European war; and

WHEREAS, Believing that the people of Maryland are in full sympathy and accord with any movement which has for its object the amelioration of the conditions thus created; now, therefore,

I, Emerson C. Harrington, Governor of Maryland, do, by this my proclamation, designate and proclaim Thursday, January