

chard, Loughridge, Corby, Harding, Hall, Tower, Brown, Smith, of Carroll, Buffington.

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following message:

*By the Senate,*

March 7th, 1856.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:*

We propose, with the concurrence of your honorable body, to proceed, on the 8th day of March instant, at half past twelve o'clock, to the election of a Keeper of the Records of the Court of Chancery. We have nominated on the part of the Senate, Lemuel Jones. We have appointed Messrs. McCullough and Schley to join the gentlemen who may be appointed by your honorable body to count the ballots and report the result.

By order,

C. HARWOOD, Sec'y.

Mr. Askew offered the following message:

*By the House of Delegates,*

March 8th, 1856.

*Gentlemen of the Senate:*

We have received the message of your honorable body, proposing to proceed, on the 8th day of March, at half-past twelve o'clock, to the election of a Keeper of the Records of Chancery, and concur therein. We have nominated, on the part of the House, Lemuel Jones, and have appointed Messrs. Frazier and Brooke to join such persons as your honorable body have appointed, to count the votes and report the result.

By order,

THOMAS H. KENT, of Jos., Clerk.

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Daniel,

The rules were suspended to take up

A bill entitled, an act to amend the act entitled, an act to establish a House of Refuge for Juvenile Delinquents, and the supplements thereof, and to authorise the appointment of Managers on the part of the State in said House, and to give to the Judges of the Circuit Courts for the several counties of this State, the power to order minors to be removed to and confined in the House of Refuge, and to appropriate for the aid and benefit and support of the House of Refuge, the annual sum of ten thousand dollars, for five successive years;