Prince George's county, to act in the double capacity of magistrate and postmaster;

Was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following message:

By the House of Delegates, January 7th, 1862.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

The Honorable Augustus W. Bradford, having been elected Governor of this State, we propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, the appointment of a joint committee of the two Houses to wait on him, and request his attendance on Wednesday, the eighth instant, at twelve o'clock, in the Senate Chamber, to qualify, according to the Constitution and form of government of this State. We have appointed Messrs. Reese, Johnson, of Baltimore county and Herbert as said committee on the part of this Hosue, to meet such committee as may be selected by your Honorable Body.

By order,

T. Snowden Thomas, Chief Clerk.

Which was read.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester, submitted the following message:

By the Senate, January 7th, 1862.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message proposing the appointment of a joint committee of the two Houses to wait upon the Honorable Augustus W. Bradford, Governor elect of this State, and request his attendance on Wednesday, the eighth instant, at twelve o'clock, in the Senate Chamber, to qualify, according to the Constitution and form of government of this State, and concur therein. We have appointed Messrs. Goldsborough, Bayne and Sellman, on the part of the Senate, to unite with the gentlemen appointed by your Honorable Body

By order,

C. Harwood, Secretary.