clerk, and Eli Duvall assistant clerk of the present House of Delegates;

Who severally qualified as such.

Mr. Brengle submitted the following order, which was

twice read and adopted;

Ordered, That Robert W. Carter, Richard L. Mackall, Benjamin Seegar, Joseph C. Talbot, and William E. Ncholson, be the Committee Clerks for the present House of Delegates,

Who severally qualified as such.

Mr. Brengle submitted the following order, which was

twice read and adopted:

Ordered, That Gotleb J. Grammer, be appointed Sergeant at Arms, and John Quynn, Door-keeper of the present House of Delegates, who severally qualified as such;

On motion of Mr. Gough,

Ordered, That the Rules adopted for the regulation of the last House of Delegates, be adopted for the government of this House.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

Ordered, That Messrs. Palmer and Culbreth, be appointed a committee to wait on the Reverend Mr. Poisal, and request his attendance on this House, every morning at 10 o'clock, during this session, to perform Divine Service.

Mr. Carpenter, submitted the following message, which

was read, assented to and sent to the Senate;

By the House of Delegates, December 27th, 1836.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

The House of Delegates is ready to proceed with the business of the session; we have chosen Benjamin L. Gantt, Esquire, Speaker, and George G. Brewer, Clerk, and propose to sit from ten o'clock A. M. until three o'clock P. M. for the despacth of public business.

By order, George G. Brewer, Cl'k.

The clerk of the Senate delivered the following message:

By the Senate, Decembet 27, 1836.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

The Senate having organized by the appointment of Richard Thomas, Esq. President, and Joseph H. Nicholson, Esq. chief clerk, are ready to proceed with the businesss of