We have appointed on the part of this House, Messrs. Charles E. Trail, R. B. McCoy, J. S. Tyson, jr.

By order, and the state of

WILLIAM R. COLE, Chief Clerk.

Mr. Jones offered the following amendment:

By the House of Delegates, January 11, 1864.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We have received your message relating to the reference of so much of the Governor's message as refers to a Convention to a joint committee, and in reply state that before your message was received, we had already referred that subject to a select committee;

Which was rejected.

The original message was then assented to, and sent to the Senate.

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following bill:

A bill entitled, "An Act to repeal Section 118 of Art. 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to Frederick county. and re-enact the same, with amendments."

Which was referred to the Frederick county delegation.

Mr. Gantz presented a bill entitled, "An Act to alter and change the 292d Section of the 21st Article of the Code of Public Local Laws of this State, relating to the sheriff of Washington county."

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following messages:

By the Senate, January 11, 1864.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message, proposing that the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate address a joint note to Hon. Thomas Holliday Hicks, informing him of his election by the General Assembly as United States Senator, for the unexpired term of Hon. James A. Pearce, deceased, and concur therein.

By order, the transfer with

C. HARWOOD, A FARRY

Secretary.

Which was read.