

county, W. H. Parks, Somerset county, Thomas J. Peddick, Garrett county; Engrossing Clerk, S. W. Storm, Baltimore county; Pages, James F. Busey, 3rd Legislative District of Baltimore City, James Dorsey, 2nd Legislative District of Baltimore City; Folders, H. C. Pennington, Kent county, Jeremiah Creighton, Dorchester county, R. B. Clements, Queen Anne's county, Esma Lowe, Caroline county; Chaplain, Rev. J. P. Hall.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. J. COLTON,  
*Chairman.*

Which was read.

Mr. Watkins submitted the following amendment:

Add after the name of Rev. Mr. Hall, the names of Rev. Mr. Southgate and Rev. Mr. Henderson, whose compensation shall be two hundred dollars each.

Which was read.

Mr. Freamer submitted the following amendment:

That so much of the report of the Committee as relates to the selection of a Chaplain be recommitted to the Committee, with instructions to confer with the Committee on Organization on the part of the Senate, and arrange so that all the resident ministers of Annapolis having charge of congregations may officiate as Chaplains on alternate days.

Which was adopted.

The question then recurring upon the report of the Committee as amended,

It was adopted.

And the several officers elect, named therein, except Mr. W. H. Parks, appeared, qualified and entered upon the discharge of their respective duties.

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following message:

BY THE SENATE,  
January 14th, 1874.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:*

We propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, the appointment of a Joint Committee of three from the House of Delegates, and two from the Senate, to visit the Maryland Hospital for the Insane at Spring Grove, in Baltimore county, and to report to the two Houses the condition of said Institution, the manner in which it is conducted, and