

and the other from S. Wood, which was read for the information of the House.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Williams Assistant Secretary:

Mr. Speaker,

I am instructed to inform the House of Representatives, that there have been introduced into the Senate,

A bill to incorporate the New London Academy,

Also a bill, to concentrate the supreme court, which last bill has been rejected.

And they have passed the following resolutions, which they ask the concurrence of the House,

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that the joint committee appointed to investigate the affairs of Florida campaign, be authorised to employ a Clerk, so long as they may think the business before them shall require his services.

On motion of Morehead,

The following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That a select committee be appointed for the purpose of inquiring into the expediency, and necessity of offering pecuniary aid to the suffering and distressed families in Caldwell and Davies counties, occasioned by the late Mormon disturbances, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

Which resolution was referred to a select committee,

Messrs. Morehead, Atchison and Coalter, was appointed that committee.

On motion of Mr. Huston,

The following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That the Senate, be informed that the House of Representatives, are now ready to proceed to the election of President and Directors, for the State of Missouri, as well as the branch thereof, on the part of the State, and that the seats on the right of the Speaker are set apart for their reception.

On motion of Mr. Hall,

The following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, By this House, that a select committee be appointed to inquire into the expediency of reporting a bill for the relief of Robert P. Clark, Clerk of the Cooper circuit court.

Messrs. Hall, Hickox and Cowan, was appointed that committee, and

On motion of Mr. Hall, Mr. Carson, was added to the committee,

Mr. Williams of C. Girardeau, gave notice,

That he would on to-morrow, introduce a bill to establish a state road from Smith's ferry on the Mississippi river, to Jackson, the county seat of Cape Girardeau county,

Pursuant to notice the Senate assembled, in the Hall of the House of Representatives for the purpose of electing a President and directors on the part of the State of the bank of the State of Missouri, and its branch bank.

On motion of Mr. Hunter of the Senate,

The following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives, in joint meeting that in the election of President and Directors of the principal and branch bank, that they will first proceed to vote for President of the principal bank then for each director of said bank then vote in the same manner for President and directors of the branch bank.

When Mr. Ashby of the Senate, nominated Mr. John Smith, for President of the bank, of the State of Missouri for whom, the vote was as follows:

For Mr. John Smith.