

## JOURNAL

*Of the Senate of the State of Florida, at the Sixth Session of the Legislature, begun and held at the Capitol, in the City of Tallahassee, in the State of Florida, on Tuesday, the seventh day of January, A. D. 1873, being the day fixed by the Constitution of the State of Florida for the meeting of the Legislature.*

Senate met as required by the Constitution.

Lieutenant-Governor M. L. Stearns in the chair.

By request of the presiding officer Bishop John M. Brown, of the A. M. E. Church, opened the session with prayer.

The names of Senators holding seats were then called, and the following answered to their names:

Messrs. Billings, Eagan, Jenkins, Johnson, Hill, McCaskill, McKinnon, Sutton, Henderson, and Ginn—10.

The following Senators, elected November 5, 1872, were then called and sworn in by the Secretary:

Messrs. Hiram Potter, Washington Pope, R. L. Smith, Chas. H. Pearce, J. L. Crawford, Angus McAuley, M. A. Knight, E. T. Sturtevant, M. G. Fortner, B. F. Oliveros, L. G. Dennis, Robert Meacham, and T. W. Long—13.

On motion, the Senate then adjourned till to-morrow at 10 o'clock A. M.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1873.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The Lieutenant-Governor in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Billings, Crawford, Dennis, Eagan, Fortner, Ginn, Henderson, Jenkins, Johnson, Knight, Long, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Pearce, Pope, Potter, Smith, Sturtevant, and Sutton—23.

A quorum present.

By request of the Lieutenant-Governor the session was opened with prayer by Bishop Pearce.

Mr. Dennis stated that he had been requested to give notice

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