

For T. W. Osborn—Senate, 0; Assembly, 1. Total, 1.  
 For R. Meacham—Senate, 0; Assembly, 2. Total, 2.  
 For E. M. Cheney—Senate, Messrs. Dennis, Eagan, Hill,  
 Jenkins, Locke, Pope, and Sturtevant, 7; Assembly, 4. Total,  
 11.

For W. H. Christy—Senate, Mr. Sutton, 1; Assembly, 2.  
 Total, 3.

For S. J. Douglas—Senate, Mr. Henderson, 1; Assembly,  
 0. Total, 1.

For H. Potter—Senate, Messrs. Billings, Johnson, Meacham,  
 and Pearce, 4; Assembly, 12. Total, 16.

For W. J. Kelly—Senate, Messrs. McCaskill and Potter, 2;  
 Assembly, 1. Total, 3.

For F. Baltzell—Senate, Messrs. McKinnon and Smith, 2;  
 Assembly, 4. Total, 6.

For J. Tyler, Jr.—Senate, Messrs. Crawford and Fortner, 2;  
 Assembly, 2. Total, 4.

For W. W. McCall—Senate, Messrs. Knight and Oliveros, 2;  
 Assembly, 6. Total, 8.

The President announced that there was no election, no one  
 candidate having received a Constitutional majority.

On a motion to adjourn,

The yeas and nays were called for with the following result:  
 Those voting in the affirmative were—

Senate—Messrs. Billings, Crawford, Dennis, Fortner, Ginn,  
 Henderson, Jenkins, Knight, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon,  
 Meacham, Oliveros, Pope, Potter, Smith, Sturtevant, and Sut-  
 ton, 18; Assembly, 30. Total, 48.

Those voting in the negative were—

Senate—Messrs. Eagan, Hill, Johnson, Locke, Long, and  
 Pearce, 6; Assembly, 21. Total, 27.

The motion was agreed to and the joint session adjourned  
 until 12 o'clock to-morrow.

The Senate returned from the Assembly Hall in a body at  
 1½ o'clock, and on motion of Mr. Johnson adjourned until 11½  
 o'clock to-morrow.

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1873.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The Lieutenant-Governor in the chair.

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

Messrs. Billings, Crawford, Eagan, Fortner, Ginn, Hill,  
 Jenkins, Johnson, Knight, Locke, Long, McAuley, McCaskill,  
 McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Pearce, Pope, Smith, Sturtevant,  
 and Sutton—21.

A quorum present.

The journal was read and approved as corrected.

Mr. Potter offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Rumors are current which reflect upon the mem-  
 bers of this Legislature, both individually and as a body, in  
 their action upon the election of a United States Senator; there-  
 fore be it

*Resolved by the Senate*, That a committee of three be imme-  
 diately appointed by the Chair to investigate the rumors which  
 are current against any persons for offering or receiving bribes  
 in connection with the election now going on in this Legisla-  
 ture for a United States Senator, said committee being author-  
 ized to report daily, with power to send for persons and  
 papers.

The yeas and nays were called for with the following result:

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Billings, Crawford, Dennis, Eagan, Fortner, Ginn,  
 Hill, Jenkins, Johnson, Knight, Locke, Long, McAuley,  
 McCaskill, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Pearce, Pope, Pot-  
 ter, Smith, Sturtevant, and Sutton—23.

Those voting in the negative were—None.

So the resolution was adopted.

The following committee was appointed:

Messrs. Potter, McCaskill, and Locke.

Mr. Sturtevant offered the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Rev. Dr. Anderson be appointed Chap-  
 lain of the Senate, and that a committee of two be appointed  
 by the Chair to notify him of the action of this body.

Pending the question on the resolution,

TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

The hour of 12 having arrived, the Senate proceeded in a  
 body to the Assembly Hall for the purpose of voting for a  
 United States Senator.

At 12 o'clock M. the Senate entered the Assembly Hall.

Hon. M. L. Stearns, President of the Senate, took the chair.

The Senate roll was called and the following Senators an-  
 swered to their names:

Messrs. Billings, Crawford, Dennis, Eagan, Fortner, Ginn,  
 Hill, Jenkins, Johnson, Knight, Locke, Long, McAuley, Mc-  
 Caskill, McKinnon, Meacham, Oliveros, Pearce, Pope, Potter,  
 Smith, Sturtevant, and Sutton—23.

Upon the call of the Assembly roll fifty-three members an-  
 swered to their names.

A quorum present.

The President announced that there being no election for

United States Senator on the ballot of yesterday, balloting was in order and the joint assembly proceeded to ballot with the following result:

## FIRST BALLOT.

For E. M. Randall—Senate, Mr. Billings, 1; Assembly, 0. Total, 1.

For W. D. Bloxham—Senate, Messrs. Crawford, Fortner, Ginn, Knight, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Oliveros, Smith, and Sutton, 10; Assembly, 24. Total, 34.

For E. M. Cheney—Senate, Messrs. Dennis, Eagan, Jenkins, Locke, Pope, and Sturtevant, 6; Assembly, 8. Total, 14.

For R. Meacham—Senate, Messrs. Hill, Johnson, and Potter, 3; Assembly, 10. Total, 13.

For S. B. Conover—Senate, Messrs. Long and Pearce, 2; Assembly, 6. Total, 8.

For F. Hill—Senate, Mr. Meacham, 1; Assembly, 0. Total, 1.

For H. Bisbee, Jr.—Senate, 0; Assembly, 4. Total, 4.

For W. W. McCall—Senate, 0; Assembly, 1. Total, 1.

The President announced that there was no choice, and on motion of Mr. Wallace the joint assembly proceeded to a second ballot with the following result:

## SECOND BALLOT.

For W. D. Bloxham—Senate, Messrs. Crawford, Fortner, Ginn, Knight, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Oliveros, Smith, and Sutton, 10; Assembly, 23. Total, 33.

For E. M. Cheney—Senate, Messrs. Dennis, Jenkins, and Pope, 3; Assembly, 8; Total, 11.

For R. Meacham—Senate, Messrs. Billings, Eagan, Hill, Johnson, and Locke, 5; Assembly, 9; Total, 14.

For S. B. Conover—Senate, Messrs. Long and Pearce, 2; Assembly, 8. Total, 10.

For H. Bisbee, Jr.—Senate, Messrs. Potter and Sturtevant, 2; Assembly, 3. Total, 5.

For W. W. McCall—Senate, 0; Assembly, 1. Total, 1.

For L. Billings—Mr. Meacham, 1; Assembly, 0. Total, 1.

Mr. Johnson moved to adjourn until Monday at 12 o'clock.

The yeas and nays were called for with the following result:

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Senate—Messrs. Billings, Crawford, Dennis, Eagan, Fortner, Ginn, Hill, Jenkins, Johnson, Locke, McAuley, McCaskill, Meacham, Pope, Potter, Sturtevant, and Sutton, 17; Assembly, 15. Total, 32.

Those voting in the negative were—

Senate—Messrs. Knight, Long, McKinnon, Oliveros, Pearce, and Smith, 6; Assembly, 37. Total, 43.

So the motion to adjourn was lost.

On motion of Mr. Osgood the joint assembly proceeded to a third ballot with the following result:

## THIRD BALLOT.

For John J. Williams—Senate, 0; Assembly, 1. Total, 1.

For E. M. Cheney—Senate, Messrs. Dennis, Jenkins, and Pope, 3; Assembly, 5. Total, 8.

For R. Meacham—Senate, Messrs. Eagan and Hill, 2; Assembly, 6. Total, 8.

For S. B. Conover—Senate, Messrs. Fortner, Ginn, Long, McCaskill, Pearce, and Smith, 6; Assembly, 21. Total, 27.

For H. Bisbee, Jr.—Senate, Messrs. Locke, Potter, and Sturtevant, 3; Assembly, 5. Total, 8.

For W. W. McCall—Senate, 0; Assembly, 3. Total, 3.

For E. R. Chadwick—Senate, Mr. Billings, 1; Assembly, 0. Total, 1.

For H. S. Sanford—Senate, Messrs. Crawford, McAuley, McKinnon, and Oliveros, 4; Assembly, 6. Total, 10.

For John Tyler, Jr.—Senate, Messrs. Johnson and Sutton, 2; Assembly, 2. Total, 4.

For W. W. J. Kelly—Senate, Mr. Meacham, 1; Assembly, 1. Total, 2.

For —Senate, Mr. Knight, 1; Assembly, 0. Total, 1.

For G. Washington—Senate, 0; Assembly, 2. Total, 2.

The President announced that there was no election, no one of the candidates having received a majority of the votes cast.

Mr. Montgomery moved to adjourn until Monday at 12 o'clock.

The yeas and nays were called for with the following result:

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Senate—Messrs. Billings, Crawford, Dennis, Eagan, Fortner, Ginn, Hill, Jenkins, Johnson, Knight, Locke, McAuley, McCaskill, McKinnon, Meacham, Pope, Potter, Smith, Sturtevant, and Sutton, 20; Assembly, 30. Total, 50.

Those voting in the negative were—

Senate—Messrs. Long, Pearce, and Oliveros, 3; Assembly, 21. Total, 24.

So the joint session adjourned until Monday at 12 o'clock.

The Senate returned from the Assembly Hall at 1:30 o'clock, and on motion of Mr. Jenkins adjourned until Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1873.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The Lieutenant-Governor in the chair.

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