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Wednesday January 13th 1836.

Met according to adjournment.

A communication was received from Asaph Nichols signifying his acceptance as Secretary of State.

Petition of the Selectmen of Kennelbunkport for an amendment of the Constitution, was read referred to Messrs Perkins of Kennelbunkport, Chase of Camden, Chadbourne of Standish, Stanley of Dixfield, Eastman of Strong, M^r Dowell of Washington, Davis of M^r Vernon Whitmore of Kirkland, Bridges of Charlotte & Lake of Bucksport with such as the Senate may join.

Bill An Act additional providing for the punishment of certain crimes & for the prosecution thereof taken from the Senate files of last year came down referred to Messrs Rowinton, Robinson, Allen, Helsey and Strickland with such as the House may join and the House concurred & Messrs Alderman of Wells, Scovry of Waterford, Cunningham of Swanville, Webb of Bloomfield, White of Windham, Allen of Bangor, Holt of Stuchill, Purrington of Bowdoinham & Packard of Houlton & Labor of Vassalboro were joined.

An order came from the Senate referring so much of the Governor's Message as relates to Agriculture to the joint standing Committee on Agriculture for concurrence and the House concurred.

An order came from the Senate referring so much of said Message as relates to Literature & Literary Institutions to the joint standing Committee on Literature & Literary Institutions for concurrence and the House concurred.