

to the General Assembly, three annual reports of the commissioners to improve the channel of the Patapsco river. The reports of the years 1860 and 1861, were found on file in this office, and that of the year 1862, was received upon the day endorsed thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

S. S. MAFFIT,
Comptroller.

Which was read and referred to a select committee, composed of Messrs. Warner, Leckie and Smyth.

Also, the following:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Treasurer's Office,
Annapolis, Feb. 3, 1862.

To the Honorable, the Speaker,
of the House of Delegates of Md.

SIR:—I herewith submit copies of account number ten of State Treasury proper, and number ten of the funds accounts, being a settlement with the Comptroller from the 1st to 31st of January, 1862, inclusive.

As this is my final settlement with the Comptroller, I respectfully request that the Honorable, the House of Delegates, will have it filed with the accounts (number one to nine) which I had the honor to submit to them on the 7th of January last.

Very respectfully, &c.,

SPRIGG HARWOOD,
Treasurer.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. McIntire presented the petition of the town commissioners of Charlestown, Cecil county, for an act to enable them to execute a deed;

Which was read and referred to the Cecil county delegation.

Mr. Carroll presented the petition of Samuel M. Traverse, Joseph North, Thomas B. Traverse and J. L. Patterson, owners of schooner "Taylor Island," asking remuneration for services rendered and risks incurred by said schooner, having been pressed into the service of the State, for the purpose of executing the laws in relation to oysters;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Claims.