the Senate, to proceed to the city of Baltimore for the purpose of making a thorough investigation into the affairs and condition of the State Tobacco Warehouses, and to report to this General Assembly such legislation in reference thereto as may be necessary.

We have appointed on the part of the Senate Messrs. Young and Mackall.

By order,

A. Gassaway, Secretary.

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Horsey,

Ordered, That John F. Dawson have leave of absence to visit his home, on account of illness in his family.

On motion of Mr. Davis, of Charles,

Ordered, That the Committee on Printing be requested to inform this House at what time the report of the Superintendent of "Public Instruction," will be printed and ready for distribution.

On motion of Mr. Bixler,

Ordered, That the Librarian be directed to furnish for the use of this House, two copies of "Woods' Baltimore City Directory," for the years 1865, 1866.

On motion of Mr. Boswell,

Ordered, That this House have a recess from 3 P. M., this afternoon until 7½ o'clock this evening.

The Speaker laid before the House the following:

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Annapolis, Feb. 8th, 1867.

To the Honorable

The House of Delegates of Maryland:

## GENTLEMEN:

In obedience to an order of your Honorable Body, handed to me on the 4th instant, I have the honor herewith to hand you a statement, which I think meets the enquiry in said order.

If, however, upon examination it should not be as full as you desire it, will afford me pleasure at all times to furnish further or additional information on this or any other subject.

I am, very truly,

Your obed't. servt.,

R. FOWLER, Treasurer of Maryland.