SENATE,

January 9, 1868.

The committee appointed by the Senate and House of Delegates to count the votes cast for Treasurer of Maryland beg leave to report, that

| The vote cast by the Senate were in number The vote cast by the House of Delegates were in number | $\frac{24}{85}$ |
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109 Making in all Of which number Robert Fowler received fifty-five votes;

John Merryman received fifty-three votes, and there was one blank vote.

We therefore respectfully report that Robert Fowler having received the largest number of votes, is returned by the committee as elected to the office of Treasurer of Maryland.

G. FRED. MADDOX, JAS. C. CLARKE F. DORSEY HERBERT, JOHN A. ROBB.

Whereupon, it was declared that Robert Fowler is duly elected Treasurer.

On motion by Mr. Henkle, it was

Ordered, That the Committee on Judicial Proceedings be instructed to inquire into the expediency of making provision for the more speedy trial of cases of petty larceny and other minor criminal offences, and to report by bill or otherwise at the earliest convenient period;

The order was adopted.

Mr. Hyland, from a select committee, reported a bill entitled an Act to amend Article 29, of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, adding thereto the following sections:

Which was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Spates, Adjourned until to-morrow, at 12, M.