

TUESDAY, January 28, 1868.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Henderson.

Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Stewart, (Speaker,) Loker, Coad, Beck, Iglehart, Deale, Bond, of Calvert, Dalrymple, Mitchell, Nicolai, Slingluff, Poteet, Holmes, Lowe, Corbin, Stewart, of Dorchester, Davis, of Cecil, Touchstone, Richards, Keech, Guy, Williams, Sudler, Legg, Holloway, Smith, of Worcester, Albaugh, Dutrow, Wenner, Bowlus, Silver, Nelson, Brown, Sanner, Wentz, Morse, Blake, Latrobe, Pentland, Smith, of Baltimore city, Bond, of Baltimore city, Colton, Mullin, McElroy, Harig, Markland, Marshall, Conway, Syester, Coudy, Herbert, Rohrer, Seibert, Offutt, Conley, McCulloh, Kean, Devecmon, Trimble, Hall, Jordan, Worthington, Clark, Jones, Fooks—65.

The Speaker laid before the House the communication of James S. Franklin, Esq., Clerk of the Court of Appeals, enclosing replies of the State Reporter in response to an order of the House.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Also the following reply of Wm. J. Leonard, Comptroller, to a resolution of inquiry :

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,

Annapolis, Jan. 28, 1868.

Hon. WM. A. STEWART,

Speaker of the House of Delegates :

SIR:—In obedience to an order passed the House January 24th, 1868, requesting me to inform your Honorable Body "the several sums of money, from time to time, since the establishment of the office of the Comptroller, paid out of the public Treasury, to and for the use of St John's College," I have the honor to report that there has been paid since the establishment of this office in 1852 to 1867, inclusive, (16 years,) the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars per annum, making a total of forty-eight thousand (\$48,000) dollars.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. J. LEONARD,

Comptroller.