

FRIDAY, January 19, 1872.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Southgate.

The following Senators were present at roll call :

Messrs. President, Compton, Carroll, Crawford, Claggett, Denson, Davis, Downs, Dennis, Fields, Henry, Jump, Longwell, Stephenson, Spates, Sellman, Spencer, Steiner, Timmons, Wilson, Williams—19.

The President laid before the Senate the following communication from the Comptroller of the Treasury :

STATE OF MARLAND,
TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Comptroller's Office, }
ANNAPOLIS, January 17, 1872.

Hon. Henry Snyder, President of the Senate :

DEAR SIR—In obedience to the order of the Senate, passed 9th January, 1872, I have the honor to present the enclosed statement, showing the net receipts into the Treasury from Tobacco Inspection, from the establishment of the Tobacco Warehouses ; and also the net receipts from the wharves attached to said Warehouses, from the year 1852, to the end of the fiscal year 1871.

Very respectfully,

LEVIN WOOLFORD,

Comptroller of the Treasury.

STATEMENT OF THE STATE TOBACCO WAREHOUSES.

The net receipts from the State Tobacco Warehouses, received by the State Tobacco Inspectors, and paid by them into the State Treasury, from 1825, the passage of the Act establishing the State Tobacco Warehouses, were	\$678,199 88
The net receipts from the State Wharfinger, from the State Tobacco Warehouse wharves, from May, 1852, to September 30, 1871, were	38,653 78
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	\$716,853 66

There are none of the reports from State Wharfingers filed in this office prior to May, 1852, and for this reason I am unable to specify the receipts from the Tobacco Warehouse wharves previous to that date. The original cost of build-