

*Committee on Roads and Highways.*—Messrs. Dawson, Buchanan, Riley, Kemp, Robinson, Valliant, Nicodemus.

*Committee on the Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries.*—Messrs. Stewart, of Baltimore City, Kemp, Harig, Bond, Johnson, McCosker. Sudler, Nutwell, Merritt, Bedsworth, Bird.

*Committee on Immigration.*—Messrs. Joyce, Groh, Henkle, Galt, Nicodemus, Leonard, Hawkins.

*Committee on Article III, Section 24, of the Constitution.*—Messrs. Maclin, Fenton, Gordy, Waters, Colton, Hart, Williams.

Also,

The following Select Committee:

*Organization.*—Messrs. Cooper, Colton, Merritt, Nutwell, Turner, of Baltimore county, Sudler, Gordy, Turner, of Cecil, Kemp, Riley, Dawson, Loane, Joyce, Grimes, Clark, West, Waters, Maclin, Bedsworth.

The Speaker laid before the House the following communication from Hon. John W. Davis, Treasurer of the State, together with accompanying documents:

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Annapolis, Jan. 13th 1874.

To the Honorable,

*The Speaker of the House of Delegates:*

SIR:—In compliance with a requirement of the fourth section of Article 6, of the Constitution, I have the honor herewith to submit to the Honorable Body over which you preside, true copies of all accounts rendered to and settled with the Comptroller of the Treasury, from the 10th day of February, 1872, to the 30th day of September, 1872, inclusive, and also for the fiscal year commencing October 1st, 1872, and ending September 30th, 1873.

JOHN W. DAVIS,

*Treasurer.*

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Also,

The Forty-Third Report of the President and Visitors of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane, near Catonsville, Baltimore county, for 1872 and 1873.

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