

Which was adopted.

On motion by Mr. Fields,

The Journal of yesterday was then read.

Mr. Earle presented the petition of Mrs. Hannah J. Hackett, widow of James Hackett, a soldier of the war of 1812, asking to be restored to the pension rolls.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Walsh presented the petition of Joseph M. Simmons, Charles A. Boyd and three hundred other citizens of Havre-de-Grace and Cecil county, Maryland, for amendments to an Act passed at January Session, 1872, chapter 54, in reference to Wild-Fowl.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries.

Mr. Tuck presented the following message to the House of Delegates :

BY THE SENATE,

January 21st, 1874.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :*

We name, as tellers on the part of the Senate Messrs. Tuck and Blake, to join such gentlemen as may be appointed by your Honorable Body to count the ballots, and report the result of the vote for Treasurer.

Messrs. Barnes Compton and Henry H. Goldsborough have been put in nomination on the part of the Senate.

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,

Secretary.

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Blake submitted the following message to the House of Delegates :

BY THE SENATE,

January 21st, 1874.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :*

We suggest, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, that the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, be requested to address a note to the Hon. William Pinkney Whyte, informing him of his elec-