having received the largest number of votes is returned by the Committee as elected to the Office of Treasurer of Maryland.

WILLIAM H. TUCK,
JOHN R. BLAKE,
On the part of the Senate.

W. P. CLARK, JOHN WEIR,

On the part of the House.

Whereupon it was declared that the Hon. Barnes Compton, is duly elected Treasurer.

Mr. Claggett, from a Select Committee, to which leave had been granted reported a bill entitled "An Act to authorize the Mayor and Council of Hagerstown, to borrow money and to issue bonds for the payment of certain judgments recovered against them."

Which was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Claggett,

The rules were suspended so as to give said bill a second reading this day by yeas and nays as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Getty, Messrs. President, Knight, Aydelotte, Longwell, Blake, Lloyd, Brewer, Billingsley, Mudd, McCulloh, Brattan. Phelps, Crawford, Stevens, Claggett, Steiner, Denson, Earle, Spencer, Tuck—22. Fields,

NEGATIVE-None.

Said bill was then read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Blake, from the Committee on the Chesapeake Bay and its Tributaries, reported a bill for the protection and preservation of fish, and to encourage the breeding and culture of fish in the waters of the State of Maryland.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Brattan, from the Committee on Corporations, to which