

House bill entitled an Act to authorize the Commissioners of Easton to borrow a sum of money for the payment of a certain debt due by said Commissioners and heretofore contracted to meet the necessary expenses of the town of Easton, to issue bonds for the payment of the same, and to levy and collect taxes for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Which were read the second time.

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Mr. Hayes submitted the following

REPORT:

*To the Honorable Senate of Maryland:*

The Joint Committee heretofore appointed by a Joint Resolution of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at this session, to confer with the Legislature of Virginia for the purpose of obtaining concurrent legislation as to the taking of oysters, crabs and fish in the waters of the Potomac and Pocomoke and for other purposes, would respectfully report that the accompanying Joint Resolution of the Legislature of Virginia, and letter signed by the chairmans of the committees of Fish and Game of the Senate of Virginia and Chesapeake and Tributaries of the House of Delegates of the said Legislature of Virginia, has been just received, and the same are herewith submitted to the Senate of Maryland.

The Committee would also submit the accompanying Joint Resolution for the prompt action of the General Assembly, and as the Legislature of Virginia will in a few days adjourn, and inasmuch as it is important that the said Joint Resolution should be communicated to the Virginia Legislature before its adjournment, the said committee recommend the suspension of the rules of the Senate and the passage at once of said Joint Resolution, and it is further recommended by said committee that upon the passage by the Senate of said Joint Resolution, that the same, together with this report and the accompanying letter and the Joint Resolution of the Legislature of Virginia be by the proper message at once transmitted to the House of Delegates of Maryland with the request that the said Joint Resolution be at once passed under