

TUESDAY, January 18th, 1876.

The House met, and was opened with prayer by the Rev. J. Edwin Amos.

Present at the call of the roll following members :

Messrs. Smith, (Speaker,) Dunbar, Mattingly, Boyer, Usilton, Hodges, Robinson, Rullman, Turner, Bird, Lancaster, Hooper, Baldwin, Whitelock, Curtis, Smith, of B. co ; Given, Fitzjarrell, Lankford, Gunby, Ford, Lambdin, Smith, of Dor., Waters, of Dor., Briscoe, Snowden, Gywnn, Cockey, Neal, Purnell, Onley, Riggs, Hinks, Nail, Koons, Rutledge, Boyle, Vandiver, Culbreth, Goldsborough, Rusk, Berke-meier, Lewis, McWilliams, Hoblitzell, McGlone, Coburn, Stewart, McAleese, Gill, Hart, Loane, Chaisty, Hess, Harig, Albaugh, Sanders, Fenton, Scott, Farrow, Ranger, Jones, Canby, Griffith, Rawlings, Sprigg, Brooke, Brown, Rinehart, Lamotte, Waters, of Car'l., Donaldson, Dashiell, Gordy, Barnard—73.

The Speaker laid before the House the following communication from Hon. Levin Woolford, Comptroller of the Treasury, in response to an order of the House, together with accompanying document.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
Annapolis, 15th January, 1876.

Hon. Lewis C. Smith,

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Dear Sir :—In compliance with the following order of the House of Delegates, viz : "By the House of Delegates, January 6th, 1876, ordered, that the Comptroller of the Treasury be, and he is hereby requested to furnish this House within ten days, a detailed statement of the sum of \$95,443,72, under the title 'Special Appropriations,' and the authority under which it was expended." I have the honor to transmit herewith the said detailed statement containing the several items contained in said aggregate, and the Acts of Assembly under which the same were respectively paid.

Very respectfully, &c.,

LEVIN WOOLFORD,
Comptroller.

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

[See Document D.]