

ry off the water from the roof, are covered with copper, which your committee ascertained to be too narrow to prevent the roof from leaking, the object for which they were originally covered with that material, and are of opinion, and accordingly recommend that the same be covered with broader copper.

Your committee also examined Warehouse No. two, and ascertained that the North building of said Warehouse will require a new roof, and that the counting room of said warehouse is too small, and would recommend that a new roof of slate be put upon said north building, and two floors, and that the said counting room be enlarged and completely new paved. Your committee are also of opinion that it is necessary to put a new floor on the upper story of the front building of warehouse No. 2, and to repair the windows and doors of the same.

Your committee upon examining warehouse No. 3, found that the western building of said warehouse, will require a new roof of slate, two new floors, and the doors and windows to be repaired. At the request of your committee, a gentleman in the city of Baltimore furnished estimates of the repairs necessary to be done at the warehouses, which estimates will accompany this report.

But your committee do not wish these estimates to be considered a part of this report, only so far as to shew what would be required, should the Legislature think proper to authorise the above repairs, for after examining said estimates, your committee are of opinion that they exceed greatly the sum or sums necessary to complete said repairs. Your committee, therefore, submit the following resolutions:

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Governor and Council be, and they are hereby authorised to contract for the repairing of said warehouses.

*Resolved,* That the Treasurer of the Western Shore, pay, or cause to be paid to the order of the Governor, such sum or sums as may be necessary to effect the aforesaid repairs, out of any money in the Treasury, to the credit of the State's Tobacco Inspection Fund, not otherwise appropriated.