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So the House refused to concur in the said report. Mr. Kilgour then submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the order instructing the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to inquire into the expediency of limiting the number of magistrates in this State, be referred to a select committee of one from each county and the city of Baltimore, to be appointed by the Speaker, with instructions to report a bill to reduce the number of justices of the peace in the several counties of this State, and to provide for their appointment biennially instead of annually;

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Fleming,

Ordered, That the said order be laid on the table.

Mr. Hammond chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to which was referred the bill from the Senate entitled, an act to make valid a deed from Isaac Bowen, of Calvert county, to James B. Dixon, also of said county, reported that the said bill ought not to pass;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Key from the committee on Ways and Means, submitted

the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Commissioner of Loans be and he is hereby required to distribute among the creditors of this State, whatever funds may accrue and be liable to the interest on the public debt, whenever it may appear, that there is not sufficient to pay the whole quarter or semi-