rally, with the vouchers for their disbursements and their accounts of the condition of the lottery system at present established.

And he has the honor to be, most respectfully, Their ob't servant,

OI primare working GEORGE MACKUBIN,

Treasurer of the Western Shore of Md.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Lotteries. Mr. Buchanan presented the petition of sundry citizens of Allegany county, praying some legislation on the subject of the present license law so far as it relates to grog-shops, taverns &c.

Read and referred to the committee on Ways and Means. Mr. Carmichael presented the report of John B. Thomas, president of the board of commissioners of the school fund in Queen

Anne's county;

Read and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Tuck presented the petition of thirty-five citizens of Piscataway district in Prince George's county, praying that the levy court may be elected by the people;

Read and referred to Messrs. Tuck, Bayne, Maccubbin and

Hamilton.

Mr. Crain submitted the following message:

By the House of Delegates,
January 29th, 1842.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We propose with the concurrence of your honorable body, to appoint a joint committee in pursuance of resolution No. 8, passed December session 1840, and we have appointed Messrs. Crain and Graves as the committee on the part of this House, to unite with a gentleman to be selected by your honorable body.

Which was read, assented to and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Nicols of Dorchester,

The house was called and the door-keeper sent after the absent members.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

The house proceeded with the ordinary business of the session in the absence of the doorkeeper.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Hammond, Dorsey and Sellman to bring a bill entitled, an act relating to sheriff's and collector's bonds.

On motion of Mr. Grove,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Grove, Hollman, Lyday and Spencer to bring in a bill regulating certain fees of the sheriff of Washington county;

And to the same committee to bring in a bill relative to the

school fund of Washington county.

Mr. Boyle presented certain resolutions adopted by a meeting of certain citizens of Carroll county upon the subjects of retrenchment and the currency;